IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS HOUSTON DIVISION



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In re:	:	Chapter 11
WEATHERFORD INTERNATIONAL PLC, et al.,	:	Case No. 19-33694 (DRJ)
Debtors. ¹	:	(Jointly Administered)
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ORDER (I) APPROVING DEBTORS' DISCLOSURE STATEMENT AND (II) CONFIRMING SECOND AMENDED JOINT PREPACKAGED PLAN OF REORGANIZATION FOR WEATHERFORD INTERNATIONAL PLC AND ITS AFFILIATE DEBTORS UNDER CHAPTER 11 OF THE BANKRUPTCY CODE

[Relates to Docket Nos. 16 and 328]

WHEREAS, on July 1, 2019 (the "<u>Petition Date</u>"), the above-captioned debtors and debtors-in-possession (collectively, "<u>Weatherford</u>", the "<u>Company</u>" or the "<u>Debtors</u>") commenced their chapter 11 bankruptcy cases (the "<u>Chapter 11 Cases</u>") in this United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of Texas, Houston Division (the "<u>Court</u>");

WHEREAS, on July 2, 2019, the Debtors filed their Disclosure Statement for Joint Prepackaged Plan of Reorganization for Weatherford International plc and Its Affiliate Debtors Under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code [Docket No. 62] (as may be amended, modified, or supplemented, the "Disclosure Statement") and their Joint Prepackaged Plan of Reorganization for Weatherford International plc and Its Affiliate Debtors Under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code [Docket No. 62, Exhibit A] (as was amended, modified, or supplemented, the "Original Plan");

¹ The Debtors in these cases, along with the last four digits of each Debtor's federal tax identification number, are: Weatherford International plc (6750); Weatherford International Ltd. (1344); and Weatherford International, LLC (5019). The location of the Debtors' U.S. corporate headquarters and the Debtors' service address is: 2000 St. James Place, Houston, TX 77056.

WHEREAS, prior to the Petition Date, the Debtors solicited votes to accept or reject the Original Plan from Holders of Class 7 Prepetition Notes Claims² (the "<u>Prepetition Solicitation</u>");

WHEREAS, as attested to by Prime Clerk LLC, the Debtors' voting and claims agent (the "Voting and Claims Agent"), in the Affidavit of Service of Solicitation Materials filed on July 2, 2019 [Docket No. 77] (the "Prepetition Affidavit of Service"), the Voting and Claim Agent transmitted copies of the Disclosure Statement and the solicitation package (the "Prepetition Solicitation Package") to Holders of Class 7 Prepetition Notes Claims prior to the Petition Date, on or about June 28, 2019;

WHEREAS, on the Petition Date, the Debtors filed their Emergency Motion for Entry of an Order (I) Conditionally Approving Disclosure Statement, (II) Scheduling Combined Hearing on (A) Adequacy of Disclosure Statement, and (B) Confirmation of Plan, (III) Establishing Deadline to Object to Disclosure Statement and Plan and Form of Notice Thereof, (IV) Approving Solicitation Procedures and Forms of Ballots and Notice of Non-Voting Status, (V) Conditionally Waiving Requirement of Filing Schedules and Statements and of Convening Section 341 Meeting of Creditors, and (VI) Granting Related Relief [Docket No. 16] (the "Solicitation Procedures Motion"). Pursuant to the Solicitation Procedures Motion, the Debtors sought, among other things, Court approval of the process by which the Debtors would solicit votes on the Original Plan from Holders of Existing Common Stock in Class 10 on a postpetition basis (the "Postpetition Solicitation");

WHEREAS, on July 2, 2019 the Court entered its Order (I) Conditionally Approving

Disclosure Statement, (II) Scheduling Combined Hearing on (A) Adequacy of Disclosure

² Capitalized terms used and not otherwise defined herein have the meanings set forth in the Plan (as defined below), and if not defined in the Plan then as defined in the Disclosure Statement.

Statement, and (B) Confirmation of Plan, (III) Establishing Deadline to Object to Disclosure Statement and Plan and Form of Notice Thereof, (IV) Approving Solicitation Procedures and Forms of Ballots and Notice of Non-Voting Status, (V) Conditionally Waiving Requirement of Filing Schedules and Statements and of Convening Section 341 Meeting of Creditors, and (VI) Granting Related Relief [Docket No. 89] (the "Solicitation Procedures Order") which, among other things, conditionally approved the Disclosure Statement for the Postpetition Solicitation;

WHEREAS, as attested to by the Voting and Claims Agent in the affidavits of service filed with the Court on July 16, 2019 [Docket No. 173], the Voting and Claims Agent (a) served Notice of (I) Commencement of Chapter 11 Bankruptcy Cases, (II) Combined Hearing on Disclosure Statement, and Confirmation of Joint Prepackaged Chapter 11 Plan, and Related Matters, and (III) Objection Deadlines, and Summary of Debtor's Joint Prepackaged Chapter 11 Plan Filing of Solicitation Version of Disclosure Statement and Plan [Docket No. 16-1] (the "Combined Notice") on July 9, 2019; (b) published the Combined Notice in the Houston Chronicle and the national edition of USA Today on July 10, 2019 (the "Publication Notice"); and (c) served the Postpetition Ballots on Holders of Class 10 Existing Common Stock on July 9, 2019 (the "Postpetition Solicitation Package" and together with the Prepetition Solicitation Package, the "Solicitation Package");

WHEREAS, in accordance with the Solicitation Procedures Order and as attested by the Voting and Claims Agent in the *Affidavit of Service* [Docket No. 273], the Voting and Claims Agent served (a) the Notice of Non-Voting Status on the Non-Voting Classes on August 5, 2019 and (b) a notice permitting the Holders of Class 12 Unexercised Equity Interests to opt-out of the Third Party Releases (the "Opt-Out Form") on the Holders of Class 12 Unexercised Equity

Interests on July 22, 2019, who were the only Impaired Non-Voting Class bound by the Third-Party Releases;

WHEREAS, on September 4, 2019, the Voting and Claims Agent filed the *Declaration of Christina Pullo of Prime Clerk LLC Regarding Solicitation of Votes and Tabulation of Ballots Cast on Joint Prepackaged Plan of Reorganization for Weatherford International plc and its Affiliate Debtors Under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code* [Docket No. 313] (the "Voting Certification") attesting to the results of the tabulation of all Ballots received by the Voting and Claims Agent before the Noteholder Voting Deadline and before the Common Stock Voting Deadline (as defined in the Solicitation Procedures Motion). As a result of the Prepetition Solicitation, the Debtors have received votes in favor of the Plan from 99.79% in amount of the Class 7 Prepetition Notes Claims that voted and 97.53% in number of Holders of Prepetition Notes Claims that voted. As a result of the Postpetition Solicitation, the Debtors have received votes in favor of the Plan from 79.38% in amount of the Class 10 Existing Common Stock Claims that voted;

WHEREAS, on September 4, 2019, the Debtors filed with the Court the agreements and other documents set forth in the *Plan Supplement for the Joint Prepackaged Plan of Reorganization for Weatherford International plc and Its Affiliate Debtors Under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code* [Docket No. 315] (as amended, modified, or supplemented from time to time, the "<u>Plan Supplement</u>");

WHEREAS, on September 4, 2019, the Debtors filed with the Court (i) the First Amended Joint Prepackaged Plan of Reorganization for Weatherford International plc and Its Affiliate Debtors Under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code [Docket No. 315, Exhibit A] (the "First

Amended Plan"), and (ii) a redline copy of the Plan showing the modifications to the Original Plan;

WHEREAS, on September 9, 2019, the Debtors filed with the Court (i) the Second Amended Joint Prepackaged Plan of Reorganization for Weatherford International plc and Its Affiliate Debtors Under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code [Docket No. 328, Exhibit B] (as may be amended, modified, or supplemented, the "Plan"), a copy of which (without Exhibits or Plan Schedules) is attached hereto as Exhibit 1, and (ii) a redline copy of the Plan showing the modifications to the First Amended Plan (such plan modifications, the "Subsequent Plan Modifications");

WHEREAS, on September 9, 2019, the Debtors filed with the Court the agreements and other documents set forth in the Second Plan Supplement for the Second Amended Joint Prepackaged Plan of Reorganization for Weatherford International plc and Its Affiliate Debtors Under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code [Docket No. 332];

WHEREAS, contemporaneously herewith, the Debtors filed the *Memorandum of Law in Support of (I) Approval of Debtors' Disclosure Statement and (II) Confirmation of First Amended Joint Prepackaged Plan Of Reorganization For Weatherford International Plc and its Affiliate Debtors Under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code* [Docket No. 329] (the "Confirmation Brief"); and

WHEREAS, a hearing to consider the Debtors' compliance with the Bankruptcy Code's disclosure requirements and confirmation of the Plan was held before this Court on September 11, 2019 (the "Combined Hearing").

NOW, THEREFORE, based upon this Court's review of the Disclosure Statement, Plan, the briefs, affidavits and declarations submitted in support of confirmation of the Plan, including,

without limitation, (i) the Confirmation Brief, (ii) the Declaration of Andrew Yearley in Support of Confirmation of the Second Amended Joint Prepackaged Plan of Reorganization for Weatherford International plc and Its Affiliate Debtors Under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code, filed substantially contemporaneously herewith (the "Yearley Declaration"), and (iii) the Declaration of Ryan Omohundro in Support of Confirmation of the Second Amended Joint Prepackaged Plan of Reorganization for Weatherford International plc and Its Affiliate Debtors Under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code, filed substantially contemporaneously herewith (the "Omohundro Declaration") and together with the Yearley Declaration, the "Confirmation Declarations"), and upon all of the evidence proffered or adduced at, and arguments of counsel made at the Combined Hearing, and upon the entire record of these Chapter 11 Cases, and after due deliberation thereon, THE COURT HEREBY FINDS AND CONCLUDES THAT:

- A. <u>Findings of Fact; Conclusions of Law</u>. The findings and conclusions set forth herein and in the record of the Combined Hearing constitute the Court's findings of fact and conclusions of law pursuant to Rule 52 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, as made applicable herein by Bankruptcy Rules 7052 and 9014. To the extent any of the following findings of fact constitute conclusions of law, they are adopted as such. To the extent any of the following conclusions of law constitute findings of fact, they are adopted as such.
- B. <u>Jurisdiction; Venue; Core Proceeding</u>. The Court has jurisdiction over the Chapter 11 Cases pursuant to Section 1334 of title 28 of the United States Code. Venue is proper before this Court pursuant to Sections 1408 and 1409 of title 28 of the United States Code. Approval of the Disclosure Statement and confirmation of the Plan are core proceedings pursuant to Section 157(b)(2) of title 28 of the United States Code. This Court has jurisdiction to enter a final order determining that the Disclosure Statement and the Plan comply with all of the applicable

provisions of the Bankruptcy Code and should be approved and confirmed, respectively.

- C. <u>Eligibility for Relief; Proper Plan Proponents</u>. The Debtors were and are eligible for relief under Section 109 of the Bankruptcy Code and the Debtors were and are proper plan proponents under Section 1121(a) of the Bankruptcy Code.
- D. <u>Commencement and Joint Administration of the Chapter 11 Cases</u>. On the Petition Date, each of the above-captioned Debtors commenced a voluntary case under chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code. By prior order of the Court, the Chapter 11 Cases have been consolidated for procedural purposes only and are being jointly administered pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 1015 [Docket No. 41]. Since the Petition Date, the Debtors have operated their businesses and managed their properties as debtors in possession pursuant to Sections 1107(a) and 1108 of the Bankruptcy Code. On July 17, 2019, the United States Trustee ("<u>U.S. Trustee</u>") appointed an official committee of unsecured creditors pursuant to Section 1102 of the Bankruptcy Code (the "Creditors' Committee").
- E. <u>Judicial Notice</u>. The Court takes judicial notice of the docket of the Chapter 11 Cases maintained by the clerk of the Court, including, without limitation, all pleadings and other documents filed and orders entered thereon. The Court also takes judicial notice of all hearing transcripts, evidence proffered or adduced and all arguments made at the hearings held before the Court during the pendency of these Chapter 11 Cases.
- F. <u>Burden of Proof</u>. The Debtors, as proponents of the Plan, have met their burden of proving the elements of Sections 1129(a) and 1129(b) of the Bankruptcy Code by a preponderance of the evidence, which is the applicable evidentiary standard for confirmation of the Plan.
 - G. Transmittal and Mailing of Materials; Notice. As evidenced by the affidavits of

service, due, timely, adequate and sufficient notice of the Disclosure Statement, the Plan, the Plan Supplement, the Combined Hearing, the Notice of Non-Voting Status, the Opt-Out Form, and other dates and deadlines described in the Solicitation Procedures Order, together with all deadlines for voting to accept or reject the Plan as well as objecting to the Disclosure Statement and the Plan, has been given in substantial compliance with the Court's orders, all applicable Bankruptcy Rules, and all other applicable rules, laws, and regulations, and no other or further notice is or shall be required. All parties in interest had the opportunity to appear and be heard at the Combined Hearing, and no other or further notice is required. The Debtors published the Combined Notice in the national edition of *USA Today* and the *Houston Chronicle*, in substantial compliance with the Solicitation Procedures Order and Bankruptcy Rule 2002(*l*), as evidenced by the affidavit of publication.

H. Solicitation. Votes for acceptance and rejection of the Plan were solicited in good faith and in compliance with Sections 1125 and 1126 of the Bankruptcy Code, Bankruptcy Rules 3017 and 3018, all other applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code and all other applicable rules, laws, and regulations. Specifically, the Disclosure Statement, the Plan, the Combined Notice, the Ballots and other materials constituting the solicitation materials approved by the Court in the Solicitation Procedures Order, were transmitted to and served on all Holders of Claims and Equity Interests in the Voting Classes, and the solicitation materials (not including Ballots) were also provided to the key parties in interest in the Chapter 11 Cases, in compliance with Section 1125 of the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules and the Solicitation Procedures Order. The Combined Notice and Notice of Non-Voting Status were provided to Holders or potential Holders of Claims and Equity Interests in Non-Voting Classes (as defined in the Solicitation Procedures Motion). In addition, a separate Opt-Out Form was sent to all Holders of Equity Interests in Class

12, which was the only Impaired Class deemed to reject the Plan. Such transmittal and service were adequate and sufficient, and no other or further notice is or shall be required. All procedures used to distribute the solicitation materials and other notices and documents described in the Solicitation Procedures Order were fair and conducted in accordance with the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules and all other applicable rules, laws, and regulations.

- I. The solicitation of votes on the Plan complied with the Solicitation Procedures (as defined in the Solicitation Procedures Motion), was appropriate and satisfactory based upon the circumstances of the Chapter 11 Cases, and was in compliance with the provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, the Local Rules, the Solicitation Procedures Order, and applicable non-bankruptcy law. To the extent that the Debtors' Prepetition Solicitation was deemed to constitute an offer of new securities, such solicitation is exempt from registration pursuant to section 4(a)(2), Regulation D and/or Regulation S of the Securities Act, as applicable to any recipient deemed an offeree.
- J. Adequacy of Disclosure Statement. The Disclosure Statement (i) contains sufficient information of a kind necessary to satisfy the disclosure requirements of all applicable nonbankruptcy rules, laws, and regulations, including the Securities Act, (ii) contains "adequate information" (as such term is defined in Section 1125(a) of the Bankruptcy Code and used in Section 1126(b)(2) of the Bankruptcy Code) with respect to the Debtors, the Plan, and the transactions contemplated therein, and (iii) is hereby approved in all respects.
- K. <u>Vote Certification</u>. Before the Combined Hearing, the Debtors filed the Voting Certification. All procedures used to tabulate the Ballots were fair and conducted in accordance with the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, the Solicitation Procedures Order, and all other applicable rules, laws and regulations.

- L. As evidenced by the Voting Certification, Class 7 (Prepetition Notes Claims) voted as follows: 1,780 claims in the aggregate amount of \$6,419,301,330 voted to accept the Plan, and 45 claims in the amount of \$13,642,000 voted to reject the Plan. Accordingly, 97.53% of the voting Class 7 creditors voted to accept the Plan, and those creditors in the aggregate held 99.79% of the total dollar amount of the claims held by such voting Class 7 creditors. Therefore, Class 7 has accepted the Plan pursuant to Section 1126(c) of the Bankruptcy Code. Additionally, as evidenced by the Voting Certification, approximately 79.38% in amount of the Class 10 Existing Common Stock voted to accept the Plan. Therefore, Class 10 has accepted the Plan pursuant to Section 1126(d) of the Bankruptcy Code.
- M. Modifications to the Plan. Pursuant to Section 1127 of the Bankruptcy Code, the modifications to the Plan described or set forth in this Confirmation Order (including the Subsequent Plan Modifications) constitute changes with respect to particular Claims or Equity Interests by agreement with Holders of such Claims or Equity Interests, modifications that do not otherwise materially and adversely affect or change the treatment of any other Claim or Equity Interest, and/or non-substantive technical changes. Certain of these modifications were the result of a settlement reached by the Debtors, the Ad Hoc Noteholder Group, and the Consenting Equityholders (as defined in the Restructuring Support Agreement). Certain additional modifications were made in the Plan, including changes to the Reorganized Debtors' postemergence capital structure to provide additional liquidity and reduce the Reorganized Debtors' debt burden. These modifications have the support of approximately 81% of the Holders of the Prepetition Notes Claims as reflected in the amended Restructuring Support Agreement. Additionally, these modifications are consistent with the disclosures previously made pursuant to the Disclosure Statement and solicitation materials served pursuant to the Solicitation Procedures

Order or announced in open court, and notice of these modifications was adequate and appropriate under the facts and circumstances of these Chapter 11 Cases.

- N. In accordance with Bankruptcy Rule 3019, these modifications do not require additional disclosure under Section 1125 of the Bankruptcy Code or the resolicitation of votes under Section 1126 of the Bankruptcy Code, and they do not require that Holders of Claims and Equity Interests be afforded an opportunity to change previously cast acceptances or rejections of the Plan. Accordingly, the Plan, as modified, is properly before this Court and all votes cast with respect to the Plan prior to such modification shall be binding, and shall apply with respect to the Plan.
- O. <u>Adequate Assurance</u>. The Debtors have cured, or provided adequate assurance that the Reorganized Debtors will cure, defaults (if any) under or relating to each of the contracts and leases that are being assumed by the Debtors pursuant to the Plan. The Debtors also have provided adequate assurance of the Reorganized Debtors' future performance under such contracts and leases.
- P. <u>Valuation</u>. The Debtors' Valuation Analysis included as <u>Exhibit E</u> to the Disclosure Statement (the "<u>Valuation Analysis</u>") and the estimated enterprise value, as described therein, is reasonable, proposed in good faith, and supported by the Confirmation Declarations and the evidence presented at or prior to the Combined Hearing. All parties in interest have been given the opportunity to challenge the Valuation Analysis, and no party has raised any such challenge. Accordingly, the Valuation Analysis (i) is reasonable, persuasive, and credible as of the date such analysis was prepared, presented, or proffered, and (ii) uses reasonable and appropriate methodologies and assumptions.
 - Q. Plan Compliance with Bankruptcy Code (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(1)). The Plan

complies with the applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, thereby satisfying Section 1129(a)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code, including, without limitation Sections 1122 and 1123 of the Bankruptcy Code.

- (1) Proper Classification and Designation of Classes of Claims and Equity Interests (11 U.S.C. §§ 1122 & 1123(a)(1)). Other than Administrative Claims, DIP Facility Claims, and Priority Tax Claims, which are addressed in Article II of the Plan and which have not been classified in accordance with Section 1123(a)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code, the Plan designates twelve Classes of Claims and Equity Interests, based on the differences in the legal nature or priority of such Claims and Equity Interests. The Claims and Equity Interests placed in each Class are substantially similar to the other Claims or Equity Interests, as the case may be, in each such Class. Rational factual and legal reasons exist for separately classifying the various Classes of Claims and Equity Interests created under the Plan, and such Classes are proper and the creation of such Classes does not unfairly discriminate between or among holders of Claims or Equity Interests. Thus, the Plan satisfies Sections 1122 and 1123(a)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code.
- (2) Specification of Classes That Are Not Impaired by the Plan (11 U.S.C. § 1123(a)(2)). The Plan specifies that Class 1 (Other Priority Claims), Class 2 (Other Secured Claims), Class 3 (Secured Tax Claims), Class 4 (Prepetition Revolving Credit Claims), Class 5 (Prepetition Term Loan Claims), Class 6 (Prepetition A&R Claims), Class 8 (General Unsecured Claims), Class 9 (Intercompany Claims) and Class 11 (Intercompany Equity Interests) are Unimpaired under the Plan, thereby satisfying Section 1123(a)(2) of the Bankruptcy Code (collectively, the "Unimpaired Classes").
- (3) Treatment of Classes That Are Impaired by the Plan (11 U.S.C. § 1123(a)(3)). The Plan designates Class 7 (Prepetition Notes Claims), Class 10 (Existing Common Stock), and Class 12 (Unexercised Equity Interests) as Impaired and specifies the treatment of the Claims and the Equity Interests in those Classes, thereby satisfying Section 1123(a)(3) of the Bankruptcy Code.
- (4) <u>Equal Treatment Within Each Class (11 U.S.C. § 1123(a)(4))</u>. The Plan provides for the same treatment by the Debtors for each Claim or Equity Interest in each respective Class, thereby satisfying Section 1123(a)(4) of the Bankruptcy Code.
- (5) Adequate Means for Implementation of Plan (11 U.S.C. § 1123(a)(5)). The Plan and the various documents and agreements set forth in the Plan Supplement provide adequate and proper means for implementation of the Plan, thereby satisfying Section 1123(a)(5) of the Bankruptcy Code.
- (6) Amendment of the Reorganized Debtors' Corporate Governance Documents (11 U.S.C. § 1123(a)(6)). The Plan provides that the corporate governance documents of Weatherford Parent shall prohibit the issuance of non-voting equity securities to the extent required by Section 1123(a)(6) of the Bankruptcy Code, thereby satisfying Section 1123(a)(6) of the Bankruptcy Code.

- (7) Provisions Regarding Directors and Officers (11 U.S.C. §§ 1123(a)(7) and 1129(a)(5)). The members of the boards of directors of the Reorganized Debtors were identified by the Debtors at or prior to the Confirmation Hearing. Pursuant to Section 1129(a)(5) of the Bankruptcy Code, the Debtors disclosed, at or prior to the Confirmation Hearing, the identity of those Persons proposed to serve on the initial boards of directors or as officers of each of the Reorganized Debtors to the extent such information is available, or, to the extent not available, the means by which such selection will be made has been disclosed, and, to the extent such Person is an insider other than by virtue of being a director or an officer, the nature of any compensation for such Person. The directors and officers of the Reorganized Debtors were selected in a manner consistent with the interests of creditors and with public policy, thereby satisfying Section 1123(a)(7) of the Bankruptcy Code.
- (8) Additional Permissive Plan Provisions (11 U.S.C. § 1123(b)). The Plan contains certain provisions that may be construed as permissive, but are not required for Confirmation under the Bankruptcy Code. These discretionary provisions comply with Section 1123(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, are appropriate, in the best interests of the Debtors and their Estates and are not inconsistent with the applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, including, without limitation, provisions for (i) the assumption or rejection of executory contracts and unexpired leases; (ii) the Reorganized Debtors' retention of certain Litigation Claims that the Debtors had or had power to assert immediately prior to the Effective Date, whether directly or derivatively; and (iii) releases, injunctions, and exculpation for the benefit of various Persons and Entities.
- (9) <u>Identification of Plan (Bankruptcy Rule 3016(a))</u>. The Plan is dated and identifies the entities submitting it, thereby satisfying Bankruptcy Rule 3016(a). The filing of the Disclosure Statement with the Clerk of this Court satisfied Bankruptcy Rule 3016(a).
- R. The Debtors, as Plan Proponents, Have Complied with Applicable Provisions of the Bankruptcy Code (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(2)). The Debtors have complied with the applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, thereby satisfying Section 1129(a)(2) of the Bankruptcy Code. Specifically:
 - (1) The Debtors are proper debtors under Section 109 of the Bankruptcy Code and proper proponents of the Plan under Section 1121(a) of the Bankruptcy Code;
 - (2) The Debtors have complied with the applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, including, without limitation, Sections 1125 and 1126, except as otherwise provided or permitted by orders of this Court; and
 - (3) The Debtors have complied with the applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, the Local Rules, and the Solicitation Procedures Order in transmitting the Plan, the Disclosure Statement, the Ballots and related documents and notices and in soliciting and tabulating votes on the Plan.

S. The Plan Has Been Proposed in Good Faith and Not by Any Means Forbidden by Law (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(3)). The Debtors have proposed the Plan in good faith and not by any means forbidden by law, thereby satisfying Section 1129(a)(3) of the Bankruptcy Code. In determining that the Plan has been proposed in good faith, this Court has examined the totality of the circumstances surrounding the filing of the Chapter 11 Cases, the Plan itself (and the Plan Supplement) and the formulation and Confirmation of the Plan. The good faith of the Debtors and each of the persons or other entities who negotiated the Plan is evident from the facts and records of the Chapter 11 Cases, the Disclosure Statement and the hearing thereon, the record of the Confirmation Hearing (including the Confirmation Declarations) and other proceedings held in the Chapter 11 Cases. The Plan is the product of arm's length negotiations among the Debtors, the Creditors' Committee, the DIP Agent, the DIP Lenders, the Consenting Noteholders, and other parties in interest. The Plan itself, and the process leading to its formulation, provide independent evidence of good faith of the Debtors, the Creditors' Committee, the DIP Agent, the DIP Lenders, and the Consenting Noteholders who negotiated the Plan, serve the public interest, and assure fair treatment of holders of Claims and Equity Interests. Consistent with the overriding purpose of the Bankruptcy Code, the Chapter 11 Cases were filed, and the Plan was proposed, with the legitimate and honest purpose of reorganizing the Debtors and maximizing the value of the Debtors' assets.

T. The Payment for Certain Services or for Certain Costs and Expenses Is Subject to Court Approval (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(4)). Any payment made or to be made by the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, for services or for costs and expenses in or in connection with the Chapter 11 Cases, or in connection with the Plan and incident to the Chapter 11 Cases requiring approval, has been approved by, or is subject to the approval of, this Court as reasonable, thereby satisfying Section 1129(a)(4) of the Bankruptcy Code.

- Under the Plan Has Been Disclosed (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(5)). The Debtors have complied with Section 1129(a)(5) of the Bankruptcy Code. The identity of the Persons proposed to serve as the initial directors and officers of the Reorganized Debtors after Confirmation of the Plan have been fully disclosed to the extent such information is available, or to the extent not disclosed the means by which such selection will be made has been disclosed. The appointment to, or continuance in, such offices of such persons is consistent with the interests of Holders of Claims against and Equity Interests in the Debtors and with public policy. To the extent available, the identity of any insider that will be employed or retained by the Reorganized Debtors and the nature of such insider's compensation have also been fully disclosed.
- V. No Rate Changes (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(6)). The Debtors are not subject to any governmental regulatory commission with jurisdiction, after Confirmation of the Plan, over the rates of the Debtors. Thus, Section 1129(a)(6) of the Bankruptcy Code is not applicable in the Chapter 11 Cases.
- W. The Plan Satisfies the Best Interests Test (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(7)). The Plan satisfies Section 1129(a)(7) of the Bankruptcy Code. The liquidation analysis set forth in Exhibit D to the Disclosure Statement, the Omohundro Declaration, and other evidence proffered or adduced at the Confirmation Hearing (a) are reasonable, persuasive, and credible; (b) utilize reasonable and appropriate methodologies and assumptions; (c) have not been controverted by other evidence; and (d) establish that each Holder of a Claim or Equity Interest in an Impaired Class either (i) has accepted the Plan or (ii) will receive or retain under the Plan, on account of such Claim or Equity Interest, property of a value, as of the Effective Date of the Plan, that is not less than the amount that it would receive if the Debtors were liquidated under Chapter 7 of the

Bankruptcy Code on such date.

- X. Acceptance by Certain Classes (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(8)). Section 1129(a)(8) of the Bankruptcy Code requires that each class of claims or interests must either accept a plan or be unimpaired under a plan. The Holders of Other Priority Claims (Class 1), Other Secured Claims (Class 2), Secured Tax Claims (Class 3), Prepetition Revolving Credit Claims (Class 4), Prepetition Term Loan Claims (Class 5), Prepetition A&R Claims (Class 6), General Unsecured Claims (Class 8), Intercompany Claims (Class 9), and Intercompany Interests (Class 11) are Unimpaired and, thus, under Section 1126(f) of the Bankruptcy Code, are conclusively presumed to have accepted the Plan. The Holders of Prepetition Notes Claims (Class 7) and Existing Common Stock (Class 10) have voted to accept the Plan in accordance with Section 1126(c) and 1126(d) of the Bankruptcy Code. The Holders of Unexercised Equity Interests (Class 12) are deemed to have rejected the Plan pursuant to Section 1126(g) of the Bankruptcy Code. Although Section 1129(a)(8) of the Bankruptcy Code is not satisfied with respect to Rejecting Class 12, the Plan may nevertheless be confirmed because the Plan satisfies Section 1129(b) of the Bankruptcy Code with respect to such rejecting Classes. Article IV.E of the Plan contemplates the nonconsensual Confirmation of the Plan.
- Y. Treatment of Claims Entitled to Priority Pursuant to Section 507(a) of the Bankruptcy Code (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(9)). Unless the holder of a particular claim agrees to a different treatment with respect to such claim, Section 1129(a)(9) of the Bankruptcy Code requires a plan to satisfy administrative claims, priority unsecured claims and priority tax claims in full in cash. The treatment of Administrative Claims (Article II.A), DIP Facility Claims (Article II.B), Other Priority Claims (Article III.B.1), and Priority Tax Claims (Article II.C), under the Plan is, in each case, consistent with Section 1129(a)(9).

- Z. The Plan Has Been Accepted by at Least One Impaired Class of Claims (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(10)). Class 7 Prepetition Notes Claims is an Impaired Class of Claims that has voted to accept the Plan in accordance with Section 1126(c) of the Bankruptcy Code, determined without including any acceptance of the Plan by "insiders," thereby satisfying Section 1129(a)(10) of the Bankruptcy Code.
- AA. The Plan Is Feasible (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(11)). The evidence proffered or adduced at or prior to the Confirmation Hearing, including the financial projections set forth in Exhibit D to the Disclosure Statement, the Confirmation Brief, the Omohundro Declaration, and the Voting Certification, (i) is reasonable, persuasive, and credible, (ii) utilizes reasonable and appropriate methodologies and assumptions, (iii) has not been controverted by other evidence, and (iv) establishes that the Plan is feasible and that there is a reasonable prospect of the Reorganized Debtors being able to meet their financial obligations under the Plan with respect to operating their businesses in the ordinary course, and that Confirmation of the Plan is not likely to be followed by the liquidation or the need for further financial reorganization of the Reorganized Debtors or any successor to the Reorganized Debtors, thereby satisfying the requirements of Section 1129(a)(11) of the Bankruptcy Code.
- BB. <u>Payment of Bankruptcy Fees (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(12))</u>. All fees payable under 28 U.S.C. § 1930 have been paid or will be paid pursuant to <u>Article XII.B</u> of the Plan, thereby satisfying Section 1129(a)(12) of the Bankruptcy Code.
- CC. Non-Applicability of Certain Sections (11 U.S.C. §§ 1129(a)(13), (14), (15), and (16)). The Debtors do not have obligations to pay retiree benefits and, therefore, Section 1129(a)(13) of the Bankruptcy Code, to the extent such section is applicable to the Debtors, is satisfied. The Debtors do not owe any domestic support obligations, are not individuals, and are

not nonprofit corporations, and thus Sections 1129(a)(14), 1129(a)(15) and 1129(a)(16) of the Bankruptcy Code do not apply to the Chapter 11 Cases.

- DD. No Unfair Discrimination; Fair and Equitable (11 U.S.C. § 1129(b)). The Holders of Unexercised Equity Interests (Class 12) are deemed to have rejected the Plan (the "Rejecting Class"). The evidence proffered or adduced at the Confirmation Hearing (i) is reasonable, persuasive, and credible, (ii) utilizes reasonable and appropriate methodologies and assumptions, (iii) has not been controverted by other evidence, and (iv) establishes that the Plan does not discriminate unfairly, and is fair and equitable, with respect to the Rejecting Class, as required by Sections 1129(b)(1) and (b)(2) of the Bankruptcy Code, because (x) there is no Class of Claims or Equity Interests similarly situated to the Rejecting Class and (y) no Holder of any interest that is junior to the Equity Interests represented by the Rejecting Class will receive or retain any property under the Plan on account of such junior interest, and no Holder of a Claim in a Class senior to the Rejecting Class is receiving more than 100% recovery on account of its Claim. Thus, the Plan may be confirmed notwithstanding the rejection of the Plan by the Rejecting Class.
- EE. Only One Plan (11 U.S.C. § 1129(c)). Other than the Plan (including previous versions thereof), no other plan has been filed for the Debtors in the Chapter 11 Cases, and the Plan thereby satisfies the requirements of Section 1129(c) of the Bankruptcy Code.
- FF. Principal Purpose of Plan (11 U.S.C. § 1129(d)). The principal purpose of the Plan is not the avoidance of taxes or the avoidance of the application of Section 5 of the Securities Act of 1933 (15 U.S.C. § 77e).
- GG. <u>Inapplicable Provisions (11 U.S.C. § 1129(e))</u>. The provisions of Section 1129(e) of the Bankruptcy Code apply only to "small business cases" as defined therein. The Chapter 11 Cases are not "small business cases." Accordingly, Section 1129(e) of the Bankruptcy Code is

inapplicable in these Chapter 11 Cases.

HH. Good Faith Solicitation (11 U.S.C. § 1125(e)). The evidence proffered or adduced at the Confirmation Hearing (i) is reasonable, persuasive and credible, (ii) utilizes reasonable and appropriate methodologies and assumptions, (iii) has not been controverted by other evidence, (iv) establishes that the Debtors, the Reorganized Debtors and each of their respective Related Persons have, as applicable, (a) solicited acceptances or rejections of the Plan in good faith and in compliance with the applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, including without limitation, Sections 1125 and 1126 of the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, the Local Rules, and any applicable non-bankruptcy law, rule or regulation governing the adequacy of disclosure in connection with such solicitation and (b) participated in good faith and in compliance with the applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code and any applicable non-bankruptcy law, rule or regulation in the offer and issuance of any securities under the Plan, and (v) establishes that the Debtors, the Reorganized Debtors, the Creditors' Committee, the Ad Hoc Noteholder Committee, the DIP Agent, the DIP Lenders, the Consenting Noteholders, and each of their respective Related Persons will, as applicable, continue to act in good faith if they consummate the Plan and the agreements, settlements, transactions and transfers contemplated thereby, and take all other actions authorized by this Confirmation Order. Accordingly, each of the foregoing Persons is entitled to and, pursuant to paragraph 52 of this Confirmation Order, granted the full protections afforded by Section 1125(e) of the Bankruptcy Code.

II. <u>Satisfaction of Confirmation Requirements</u>. Based on the foregoing, all other pleadings, documents, exhibits, statements, declarations, and affidavits filed in connection with Confirmation of the Plan and all evidence and arguments made, proffered or adduced at the Confirmation Hearing, the Plan satisfies the requirements for confirmation set forth in Section

1129 of the Bankruptcy Code.

- JJ. Implementation of Other Necessary Documents and Agreements. A11 documents and agreements necessary or advisable to implement or carry out the Plan, the Restructuring Transactions and the other transactions contemplated by the Restructuring Documents (including the Plan Supplement) are essential elements of the Plan and entry into and consummation of the transactions contemplated by each such document and agreement is in the best interests of the Debtors, their Estates and Holders of Claims and Equity Interests, and shall be valid, binding and enforceable in accordance with their respective terms and conditions. The Debtors have exercised reasonable business judgment in determining which documents and agreements to enter into and have provided sufficient and adequate notice of such documents and agreements. The terms and conditions of such documents and agreements have been negotiated in good faith, at arm's length, are fair and reasonable and are reaffirmed and approved. The Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, are authorized, without any further notice to or action, order or approval of this Court, to finalize, execute and deliver all agreements, documents, instruments and certificates relating thereto and perform their obligations thereunder in accordance with the Plan.
- KK. <u>Retention of Jurisdiction</u>. Upon the Effective Date, this Court shall retain jurisdiction over the matters arising in, and under, and related to, the Chapter 11 Cases, including those set forth in Article XI of the Plan and as contemplated herein.
- LL. <u>Classification Takes Into Account Subordination Rights</u>. The classification and manner of satisfying all Claims and Equity Interests under the Plan takes into consideration all contractual, legal and equitable rights, including subordination and turnover rights, whether arising under general principles of equitable subordination, Section 510 of the Bankruptcy Code, or

otherwise, that a Holder of a Claim or Equity Interest may have against other Holders of a Claim or Equity Interest with respect to any distribution made pursuant to the Plan.

MM. Additional Findings Regarding Releases. The releases provided pursuant to Article X.B of the Plan (a) represent a sound exercise of the Debtors' business judgment; (b) were negotiated in good faith and at arms' length; and (c) formed an essential part of the agreement among the Persons participating in the negotiation and formulation of the Plan. The releases are in the best interests of the Debtors and the Chapter 11 Cases and, in the case of the Third Party Release, is fully-consensual, as all impaired creditors and interest holders were given an opportunity to "opt out" of such release. The Released Parties played an integral role in the formulation of the Plan, have made significant contributions that are essential to the Plan's success, and have expended significant time and resources analyzing and negotiating the Plan and the issues presented by the Debtors' prepetition capital structure.

ORDER

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED THAT:

1. <u>Confirmation of the Plan.</u> The Plan and Plan Supplement (as such may be amended by this Confirmation Order or in accordance with the Plan, and which amendments are hereby incorporated into and constitute a part of the Plan) and each of the provisions thereof, as may be modified by this Confirmation Order, are confirmed in each and every respect pursuant to Section 1129 of the Bankruptcy Code. The documents contained in the Plan Supplement, and any amendments, modifications and supplements thereto, and all documents and agreements related thereto (including all exhibits and attachments thereto), and the execution, delivery and performance thereof by the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, are authorized and approved. Without any further notice to or action, order or approval of the Court, the Debtors, the

Reorganized Debtors and their successors are authorized and empowered to make all modifications to all documents included as part of the Plan Supplement that are consistent with and subject to the Plan. As set forth in the Plan, once finalized and executed, the documents comprising the Plan Supplement and all other documents contemplated by the Plan shall constitute legal, valid, binding and authorized rights and obligations of the respective parties thereto, enforceable in accordance with their terms and, to the extent applicable, shall create, as of the Effective Date, all Liens and other security interests purported to be created thereby. The Plan, as modified by the Subsequent Plan Modifications, is deemed accepted by all creditors and equity holders who have previously accepted the Plan and such acceptances cannot be withdrawn, and the Debtors are not required to prepare or distribute a new disclosure statement with respect to the Subsequent Plan Modifications.

- 2. <u>Disclosure Statement Approved</u>. The Disclosure Statement (i) contains adequate information of a kind generally consistent with the disclosure requirements of all applicable non-bankruptcy law, including the Securities Act, (ii) contains "adequate information" (as such term is defined in Section 1125(a)(1) and used in Section 1126(b)(2) of the Bankruptcy Code) with respect to the Debtors, the Plan, and the transactions contemplated therein, and (iii) is approved in all respects.
- 3. <u>Objections</u>. Based upon the record of the Combined Hearing and the Chapter 11 Cases, any objections that have not been consensually resolved or withdrawn are overruled on the merits pursuant to this Confirmation Order, including Docket No. 281 filed by GAMCO.
- 4. <u>Compromise of Controversies</u>. For the reasons stated herein, the Plan constitutes a good faith, arm's-length compromise and settlement of all Claims or controversies relating to the rights that a holder of a Claim or Equity Interest, or any assignees thereof, may have with respect to any Allowed Claim or Equity Interest or any distribution to be made or obligation to be incurred

pursuant to the Plan, and the entry of this Confirmation Order constitutes approval of all such compromises and settlements.

- 5. <u>Binding Effect.</u> Pursuant to Section 1141 and the other applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, effective as of the Effective Date and without limiting or altering <u>Article X.H.</u> of the Plan, the provisions of the Plan (including the exhibits and schedules to, and all documents and agreements executed pursuant to or in connection with, the Plan) and this Confirmation Order shall be binding on (a) the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors, (b) all Holders of Claims against and Equity Interests in the Debtors, whether or not Impaired under the Plan and whether or not such Holders have accepted or rejected the Plan or affirmatively voted to reject the Plan, (c) each Person or Entity receiving, retaining or otherwise acquiring property under the Plan, and (d) any non-Debtor party to an Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease with the Debtors. The Debtors are hereby authorized to consummate the Plan immediately upon entry of this Confirmation Order in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Plan.
- 6. <u>Board of Directors.</u> Upon the Effective Date, the New Board shall take office and replace the then-existing board of directors of Weatherford Parent. All members of the existing board of Weatherford Parent shall cease to hold office in any capacity in regard to the Reorganized Debtors from and after the Effective Date. The existing board of directors of Weatherford Parent shall be deemed to have resigned on and as of the Effective Date, in each case without further notice to or order of this Court, act or action under applicable law, regulation, order, or rule or the vote, consent, authorization or approval of any Person or Entity.
- 7. <u>Effectuating Documents; Further Transactions.</u> On and after the Effective Date, the Reorganized Debtors and the officers and members of the New Board are authorized to and may issue, execute, deliver, file or record such contracts, securities, instruments, releases and other

agreements or documents and take such actions as may be necessary or appropriate to effectuate, implement and further evidence the terms and conditions of the Plan, the corporate actions and transactions contemplated under the Plan, and the securities issued pursuant to the Plan in the name of and on behalf of the Reorganized Debtors, without the need for any approvals, authorizations or consents except for those expressly required pursuant to the Plan or the Amended/New Corporate Governance Documents.

- 8. <u>Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law</u>. The findings of fact and the conclusions of law stated in this Confirmation Order shall constitute findings of fact and conclusions of law pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 7052, made applicable to the proceeding by Bankruptcy Rule 9014. To the extent any finding of fact shall be determined to be a conclusion of law, it shall be so deemed, and to the extent any conclusion of law shall be determined to be a finding of fact, it shall be so deemed.
- 9. <u>Notice of the Combined Hearing</u>. Notice of the Combined Hearing was appropriate and satisfactory based upon the circumstances of the Chapter 11 Cases, and was in compliance with the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, and the Local Rules.
- 10. <u>Solicitation</u>. The solicitation of votes on the Plan complied with the Solicitation Procedures Order, was appropriate and satisfactory based upon the circumstances of the Chapter 11 Cases, and was in compliance with the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, the Local Rules, and applicable non-bankruptcy law.
- 11. <u>Incorporation by Reference</u>. The terms of the Plan, the Plan Supplement and the exhibits and schedules thereto are incorporated by reference into, and are an integral part of, this Confirmation Order. The terms of the Plan, the documents contained in the Plan Supplement, all

exhibits thereto, and all other relevant and necessary documents, shall be effective and binding as of the Effective Date.

- 12. Plan Classification Controlling. The classification of Claims and Equity Interests for purposes of the distributions to be made under the Plan shall be governed solely by the terms of the Plan. The classifications and amounts set forth on the Ballots tendered to or returned by the Debtors' creditors in connection with voting on the Plan (a) were set forth on the Ballots solely for purposes of voting to accept or reject the Plan, (b) do not necessarily represent, and in no event shall be deemed to modify or otherwise affect, the actual classification or amounts of such Claims or Equity Interests under the Plan for distribution purposes, (c) may not be relied upon by any creditor or interest holder as representing the actual classification or amounts of such Claims or Equity Interests under the Plan for distribution or any other purpose (other than for evidencing the vote of such party on the Plan), and (d) shall not be binding on the Debtors, the Reorganized Debtors or Holders of Claims or Equity Interests for purposes other than voting on the Plan.
- 13. <u>Distributions are Fair</u>. The distribution of Cash and applicable Plan Securities and Documents to the Holders of Allowed Claims and Allowed Equity Interests are fair and for reasonably equivalent value.
- 14. <u>Corporate Existence</u>. Subject to the Restructuring Transactions permitted by paragraph 23 of this Confirmation Order, after the Effective Date, the Reorganized Debtors will continue to exist as separate legal entities in accordance with the applicable law in the respective jurisdiction in which they are incorporated or formed and pursuant to their respective certificates or articles of incorporation and by-laws, or other applicable organizational documents, in effect immediately prior to the Effective Date, except to the extent such certificates or articles of incorporation and by-laws, or other applicable organizational documents, are amended, restated or

otherwise modified under the Plan, and to the extent that such documents are amended, such documents are deemed to be amended pursuant to the Plan and require no further action or approval (other than any requisite filings required under applicable state, provincial, federal, or other law). Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, the Claims against a particular Debtor or Reorganized Debtor will remain the obligation solely of such Debtor or Reorganized Debtor and will not become obligations of any other Debtor or Reorganized Debtor solely by virtue of the Plan or the Chapter 11 Cases.

Vesting of Assets in the Reorganized Debtors Free and Clear of Liens and Claims. 15. Except as otherwise expressly provided in the Plan, this Confirmation Order, or any Restructuring Document, pursuant to Sections 1123(a)(5), 1123(b)(3), 1141(b) and (c) and other applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, on and after the Effective Date, all property and assets of the Estates of the Debtors, including all claims, rights, and Litigation Claims of the Debtors, and any other assets or property acquired by the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors during the Chapter 11 Cases or under or in connection with the Plan (other than the Professional Fee Claim Reserve and any rejected Executory Contracts and/or Unexpired Leases), will vest in the Reorganized Debtors free and clear of all Claims, Liens, charges, and other encumbrances, subject to the Restructuring Transactions and Liens which survive the occurrence of the Effective Date as described in Article V.C of the Plan (including, without limitation, the Liens that secure the Exit Facility). On and after the Effective Date, the Reorganized Debtors may (i) operate their respective businesses, (ii) use, acquire, and dispose of their respective property and (iii) compromise or settle any Claims, in each case without notice to, hearing before, supervision of or approval by this Court and free and clear of any restrictions of the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, or the Local Rules, other than restrictions expressly imposed by the Plan or this Confirmation Order.

- Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, are authorized to execute and deliver, and to consummate the transactions contemplated by, the Exit Facility Loan Documents, in each case in form and substance acceptable to the Required Consenting Noteholders in the manner set forth in the Restructuring Support Agreement and without further notice to or order of this Court, act or action under applicable law, regulation, order, or rule or the vote, consent, authorization or approval of any Person or Entity (other than as expressly required by the Exit Facility Loan Documents). On the Effective Date, the Exit Facility Loan Documents shall constitute legal, valid, binding and authorized indebtedness and obligations of the Reorganized Debtors, enforceable in accordance with their respective terms and such indebtedness and obligations shall not be, and shall not be deemed to be, enjoined or subject to discharge, impairment, release or avoidance under the Plan, this Confirmation Order or on account of the Confirmation or Consummation of the Plan.
- 17. Exit Senior Unsecured Notes Indenture. On the Effective Date, the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, are authorized to execute and deliver, and to consummate the transactions contemplated by, the Exit Senior Unsecured Notes Indenture and the other Exit Senior Unsecured Notes Documents, in each case in form and substance acceptable to the Required Consenting Noteholders in the manner set forth in the Restructuring Support Agreement and with respect to the Rights Offering Notes, in form and substance acceptable to the Backstop Parties, and without further notice to or order of this Court, act or action under applicable law, regulation, order, or rule or the vote, consent, authorization or approval of any Person or Entity (other than as expressly required by the Exit Senior Unsecured Notes Indenture). On the Effective Date, the Exit Senior Unsecured Notes Documents shall constitute legal, valid, binding and authorized indebtedness and obligations of the Reorganized Debtors, enforceable in accordance with their

respective terms and such indebtedness and obligations shall not be, and shall not be deemed to be, enjoined or subject to discharge, impairment, release or avoidance under the Plan, this Confirmation Order or on account of the Confirmation or Consummation of the Plan.

- 18. New Common Stock. On the Effective Date, subject to the terms and conditions of the Plan and the Restructuring Transactions and as described more fully in the Reorganization Steps Overview of the Plan, Reorganized Parent will issue the New Common Stock and the New Warrants pursuant to the Plan and the Amended/New Corporate Governance Documents. Distributions of the New Common Stock and the New Warrants may be made by delivery or bookentry transfer thereof by the applicable Distribution Agent in accordance with the Plan, the Amended/New Corporate Governance Documents, and the New Warrant Agreement. Upon the Effective Date, after giving effect to the transactions contemplated by the Plan and this Confirmation Order, the authorized share capital or other equity securities of Reorganized Parent will be that number of shares of New Common Stock as may be designated in the Amended/New Corporate Governance Documents. The New Common Stock will constitute a single class of equity securities in Reorganized Parent on the Effective Date and, other than the New Common Stock issued under the New Management Incentive Plan and the New Warrants, there will exist no other equity securities, warrants, options, or other agreements to acquire any equity interest in Reorganized Parent as of the Effective Date.
- 19. <u>New Registration Rights Agreement</u>. On the Effective Date, Reorganized Parent will enter into the New Registration Rights Agreement, which will become effective and binding in accordance with its terms and conditions upon the parties thereto, in each case without further notice to or order of this Court, act or action under applicable law, regulation, order, or rule or the

vote, consent, authorization or approval of any Entity (other than as expressly required by the New Registration Rights Agreement).

- 20. New Management Incentive Plan. As soon as reasonably practicable after the Effective Date, Reorganized Parent will adopt the New Management Incentive Plan, which will be on the terms and conditions (including any and all awards granted thereunder) determined by the New Board (including with respect to participants, allocation, timing, and the form and structure of the options, warrants, and/or equity compensation thereunder). The New Common Stock issued under the New Management Incentive Plan will dilute all of the New Common Stock equally.
- 21. New Warrants. On the Effective Date, Reorganized Parent will enter into and consummate the transactions contemplated by the New Warrant Agreement (including issuing the New Warrants), which will become effective and binding in accordance with their respective terms and conditions upon the parties thereto, in each case without further notice to or order of this Court, act or action under applicable law, regulation, order, or rule or the vote, consent, authorization or approval of any Person or Entity (other than as expressly required by the New Warrant Agreements or New Warrants, as applicable).
- 22. Release of Liens and Claims. Except as otherwise provided in this Confirmation Order, the Plan, or in any contract, instrument, release or other agreement or document entered into or delivered in connection with the Plan, on the Effective Date and concurrently with the applicable distributions made pursuant to Article VII of the Plan, all Liens, Claims, mortgages, deeds of trust, or other security interests against the assets or property of the Debtors or the Estates shall be fully released, canceled, terminated, extinguished and discharged, in each case without further notice to or order of this Court, act or action under applicable law, regulation, order, or rule

or the vote, consent, authorization or approval of any Entity. This release, termination, extinguishment and discharge is necessary to implement the Plan and is appropriate, fair, equitable and reasonable and in the best interest of the Debtors, their Estates and Holders of Claims and Equity Interests. The filing of this Confirmation Order with any federal, state, or local agency or department shall constitute good and sufficient evidence of, but shall not be required to effect, the termination of such Liens, Claims and other interests to the extent provided in the immediately preceding sentence. Any Entity holding such Liens, Claims or interests shall, pursuant to Section 1142 of the Bankruptcy Code, promptly execute and deliver to the Reorganized Debtors such instruments of termination, release, satisfaction and/or assignment (in recordable form) as may be reasonably requested by the Reorganized Debtors.

23. <u>Restructuring Transactions</u>. On the Effective Date, the applicable Debtors or Reorganized Debtors are authorized to consummate the Restructuring Transactions described in <u>Article V.A</u> of the Plan, subject to the terms and conditions set forth therein, in this Confirmation Order and in the Restructuring Documents (including the Reorganization Steps Overview).

24. <u>Distributions Exempt from Securities Laws.</u>

- (a) On and after the Effective Date, the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, are authorized to and will provide or issue, as applicable, the Plan Securities and Documents, in each case in form and substance acceptable to the Required Consenting Noteholders in the manner set forth in the Restructuring Support Agreement, and without further notice to or order of this Court, act or action under applicable law, regulation, order, or rule or the vote, consent, authorization or approval of any Person or Entity.
- (b) The offer, distribution, and issuance, as applicable, of the Plan Securities and Documents under the Plan will be exempt or will be effected in a manner that is exempt, from

registration and prospectus delivery requirements under applicable securities laws (including, as applicable, Section 5 of the Securities Act, Article 3(1) of Directive 2003/71/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council (as amended), Article 3(1) of Regulation (EU) 2017/1129 of the European Parliament and of the Council, or any similar state or local law requiring the registration and/or delivery of a prospectus for offer or sale of a security or registration or licensing of an issuer of a security) pursuant to Section 1145(a) of the Bankruptcy Code and/or other applicable exemptions; provided, however, that Rights Offering Notes issued to the Backstop Parties pursuant to the Backstop Commitment Agreement (but not the Rights Offering Notes issued to Holders of Allowed Prepetition Notes Claims in the Rights Offering pursuant to Article III.B.7(c) of the Plan) will be issued and distributed pursuant to Section 4(a)(2) of the Securities Act and other applicable exemptions. An offering of Plan Securities provided in reliance on the exemption from registration under the Securities Act pursuant to Section 1145(a) of the Bankruptcy Code may be sold without registration to the extent permitted under Section 1145 of the Bankruptcy Code and is deemed to be a public offering, and such Plan Securities may be resold without registration to the extent permitted under Section 1145 of the Bankruptcy Code and other applicable law.

25. <u>Rights Offering Procedures</u>. The Rights Offering Procedures are hereby approved. The Debtors are authorized to commence and conduct the Rights Offering in accordance with such procedures, the Plan, and the Backstop Commitment Agreement.

26. Discharge of the Debtors.

(a) To the fullest extent provided under Section 1141(d)(1)(A) and other applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, except as otherwise expressly provided by the Plan (including, without limitation, <u>Article II.B.</u>, <u>V.D</u>, and <u>V.E</u> of the Plan) or this Confirmation Order, effective as of the Effective Date, all consideration distributed under the Plan shall be in exchange

for, and in complete satisfaction, settlement, discharge, and release of, all Claims, Equity Interests and Causes of Action of any kind or nature whatsoever against the Debtors or any of their respective assets or properties, including any interest accrued on such Claims from and after the Petition Date and regardless of whether any property shall have been distributed or retained pursuant to the Plan on account of such Claims, Equity Interests or Causes of Action.

- (b) Except as otherwise expressly provided by the Plan (including, without limitation, Article II.B., V.D, and V.E of the Plan) or this Confirmation Order, upon the Effective Date, the Debtors and their Estates shall be deemed discharged and released under and to the fullest extent provided under Sections 524 and 1141(d)(1)(A) and other applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code from any and all Claims of any kind or nature whatsoever, including, but not limited to, demands and liabilities that arose before the Confirmation Date, and all debts of the kind specified in Sections 502(g), 502(h), or 502(i) of the Bankruptcy Code. Such discharge shall void any judgment obtained against the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors at any time, to the extent that such judgment relates to a discharged Claim.
- (c) Except as otherwise expressly provided by the Plan (including, without limitation, Article II.B., V.D, and V.E of the Plan) or this Confirmation Order, upon the Effective Date: (i) the rights afforded by the Plan and the treatment of all Claims and Equity Interests shall be in exchange for and in complete satisfaction, settlement, discharge, and release of all Claims and Equity Interests of any nature whatsoever, including any interest accrued on such Claims from and after the Petition Date, against the Debtors or any of their respective assets, property, or Estates; (ii) all Claims and Equity Interests shall be satisfied, discharged, and released in full, and each of the Debtors' liability with respect thereto shall be extinguished completely without further notice or action; and (iii) all Entities shall be precluded from asserting against the Debtors, the

Estates, the Reorganized Debtors, each of their respective successors and assigns, and each of their respective assets and properties, any such Claims or Equity Interests, whether based upon any documents, instruments or any act or omission, transaction, or other activity of any kind or nature that occurred prior to the Effective Date or otherwise.

- 27. Releases and Exculpation. The releases and exculpation provisions contained in the Plan, including, but not limited to, those provided in Article X of the Plan, are hereby authorized, approved and binding on all Persons and Entities described therein. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in any ballot of a Consenting Noteholder, all Consenting Noteholders shall be and hereby are deemed not to have elected to opt out of any releases under the Plan as required by the Restructuring Support Agreement.
- Injunctions. The injunctions contained in the Plan, including, but not limited to, those provided in Article X.G of the Plan, are hereby authorized, approved and binding on all Persons and Entities described therein. Except as otherwise expressly provided in the Plan or this Confirmation Order, from and after the Effective Date, all Persons and Entities are, to the fullest extent provided under Section 524 and other applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, permanently enjoined from (i) commencing or continuing, in any manner or in any place, any suit, action or other proceeding; (ii) enforcing, attaching, collecting, or recovering in any manner any judgment, award, decree, or order; (iii) creating, perfecting, or enforcing any Lien or encumbrance; (iv) asserting a setoff or right of subrogation of any kind; or (v) commencing or continuing in any manner any action or other proceeding of any kind, in each case on account of or with respect to any Claim, demand, liability, obligation, debt, right, Cause of Action, Equity Interest, or remedy released or to be released, exculpated or to be exculpated, settled or to be settled or discharged or to be discharged pursuant to the Plan or this Confirmation Order against any Person or Entity so

released, discharged, or exculpated (or the property or estate of any Person or Entity so released, discharged, or exculpated). All injunctions or stays provided for in the Chapter 11 Cases under Section 105 or Section 362 of the Bankruptcy Code, or otherwise, and in existence on the Confirmation Date, shall remain in full force and effect until the Effective Date.

29. Contracts and Leases. The Debtors have exercised reasonable business judgment in determining whether to assume or reject each of the Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases as set forth within the Plan, the Plan Supplement, this Confirmation Order or otherwise. All of the Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases of the Debtors (including, without limitation, the D&O Liability Insurance Policies, the Indemnification Provisions, the Employment Plans, and the Insurance Contracts) are hereby assumed by the Debtors in accordance with, and subject to, the provisions and requirements of Sections 365 and 1123 of the Bankruptcy Code, with such assumption effective as of, and subject to the occurrence of, the Effective Date, except for those Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases that (i) have been assumed or rejected by the Debtors by prior order of this Court; (ii) are the subject of a motion to reject filed by the Debtors pending on the Effective Date; (iii) are identified by the Debtors (with the consent of the Required Consenting Noteholders) as being rejected contracts or leases and Filed in the Plan Supplement; or (iv) are rejected or terminated by the Debtors pursuant to the terms of the Plan (subject to such exclusions, collectively, the "Assumed Contracts"). To the extent any provision in any Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease assumed or assumed and assigned (as applicable) pursuant to the Plan (including, without limitation, any "change of control" provision) prohibits, restricts or conditions, or purports to prohibit, restrict or condition, or is modified, breached or terminated, or deemed modified, breached or terminated by, (i) the commencement of these Chapter 11 Cases or the insolvency or financial condition of any Debtor at any time before the closing of its respective Chapter 11 Case, (ii) any Debtor's or any Reorganized Debtor's assumption or assumption and assignment (as applicable) of such Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease or (iii) the Confirmation or Consummation of the Plan, then such provision shall be deemed modified such that the transactions contemplated by the Plan shall not entitle the non-debtor party thereto to modify or terminate such Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease or to exercise any other default-related rights or remedies with respect thereto, and any required consent under any such contract or lease shall be deemed satisfied by the Confirmation of the Plan. The inclusion or exclusion of a contract or lease on any schedule or exhibit shall not constitute an admission by any Debtor that such contract or lease is an Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease or that any Debtor has any liability thereunder. Each Executory Contract and Unexpired Lease assumed and/or assigned pursuant to the Plan shall revest in and be fully enforceable by the applicable Reorganized Debtor or the applicable assignee in accordance with its terms and conditions, except as modified by the provisions of the Plan, any order of this Court approving its assumption and/or assignment, or applicable law.

30. Approval of Assumption of Assumed Contracts.

(a) <u>Court Approval</u>. The Debtors' assumption of the Assumed Contracts is hereby approved pursuant to Sections 365(a) and 1123 of the Bankruptcy Code. The Assumed Contracts shall remain in full force and effect in accordance with their respective terms and conditions for the benefit of the Reorganized Debtors, notwithstanding any provision in such Assumed Contract (including, without limitation, those described in Sections 365(b), (c), (e) and (f) of the Bankruptcy Code) or under applicable non-bankruptcy law that purports to (a) terminate, modify, or restrict, or permit the applicable non-Debtor party to terminate, modify or restrict, such contract or lease or the Debtors' rights, benefits and privileges thereunder; or (b) create or impose,

or permit the applicable non-Debtor party to create or impose, any additional duties, obligations, penalties, default rates of interest or payments (monetary and non-monetary) upon any Debtor or Reorganized Debtor, in each case as a result of or in connection with (i) the filing of a petition for relief under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code by the Debtors; (ii) the Debtors' insolvency or financial condition at any time before the Chapter 11 Cases are closed; or (iii) the Confirmation or Consummation of the Plan.

Cure Disputes. Any monetary amounts by which any Executory Contract (b) or Unexpired Lease to be assumed pursuant to the Plan is in default shall be satisfied, pursuant to Section 365(b)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code, by payment of the default amount (if any) in Cash by the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, on the Effective Date or on such other terms as the parties to each such executory contract or unexpired lease may otherwise agree in writing, with the consent of the Majority Noteholders. In the event of a dispute regarding (a) the amount of any cure payment, (b) the ability of any Debtor or assignee to provide "adequate assurance of future performance" (within the meaning of Section 365 of the Bankruptcy Code) under the Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease to be assumed, or assumed and assigned or (c) any other matter pertaining to assumption or assignment, the applicable cure payments required by Section 365(b)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code will be made following the entry of a Final Order resolving the dispute in accordance with Article VIII.A.4 of the Plan and approving such assumption or assumption and assignment; provided, however, that following the resolution of any such dispute, the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, may elect to reject such Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease in lieu of assuming or assigning it. The Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, will be authorized to effect such rejection by filing a written notice of rejection with

the Bankruptcy Court and serving such notice on the applicable counterparty within ten days of the entry of such Final Order.

31. Approval of Rejection of Rejected Contracts. All Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases of the Debtors that are identified on a Plan Schedule as being rejected, or that are otherwise rejected pursuant to the terms of the Plan or this Confirmation Order (collectively, the "Rejected Contracts"), are rejected by the applicable Debtors and such rejection is hereby approved by this Court pursuant to Sections 365(a) and 1123 of the Bankruptcy Code, with such rejection effective as of, and subject to the occurrence of, the Effective Date (the "Rejection **Date**"). Rejection of any Rejected Contract pursuant to the Plan or otherwise will not constitute a termination of any preexisting obligations owed to the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, under such Rejected Contract. All Proofs of Claim with respect to Claims arising from or in connection with the rejection of the Rejected Contracts, if any, must be filed with this Court within thirty days after service of an order of this Court (including this Confirmation Order) approving such rejection (such Claims, the "Rejection Claims"). Any and all Rejection Claims not filed within such time will, without any further notice to or action of any Person, be forever barred from assertion against the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors, their Estates, or property, unless otherwise ordered by this Court or provided for in the Plan. All Rejection Claims shall, as of the Effective Date, be subject to the permanent injunction set forth in the Plan and this Confirmation Order. At any time prior to the Effective Date, and without altering or limiting the other provisions of the Plan or this Confirmation Order, the Debtors may seek to (i) reject any contract or lease to which any Debtor is a party and to file a motion requesting authorization for the rejection of any such contract or lease and (ii) remove any contract or lease to which any Debtor is a party from a Plan Schedule and thereafter file a motion requesting authorization to assume any such contract or lease.

32. <u>Corporate Action</u>

- (a) Each of the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors may take any and all actions to execute, deliver, File or record such contracts, instruments, releases and other agreements or documents and take such actions as may be necessary or appropriate to effectuate and implement the provisions of the Plan, including, without limitation, the issuance and the distribution of the securities to be issued pursuant thereto, in each case in form and substance acceptable to the Required Consenting Noteholders in the manner set forth in the Restructuring Support Agreement and to the extent permitted by the DIP Financing Documents, and without further notice to or order of this Court, act or action under applicable law, regulation, order, or rule or any requirement of further action, vote or other approval or authorization by the security holders, officers or directors of the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors or by any other Person or Entity (subject to such actions being in accordance with the law of the Debtor's jurisdiction of incorporation to the extent such non-bankruptcy law is applicable).
- (b) Prior to, on or after the Effective Date (as appropriate), to the extent permitted by the law of the Debtor's jurisdiction of incorporation to the extent such non-bankruptcy law is applicable, all matters provided for pursuant to the Plan that would otherwise require approval of the stockholders, directors, officers, managers, members or partners of the Debtors (as of prior to the Effective Date) will be deemed to have been so approved and will be in effect prior to, on or after the Effective Date (as appropriate) pursuant to applicable law and without any requirement of further action by such Person or Entity or the need for any approvals, authorizations, actions or consents of or from any such Person or Entity.

- (c) As of the Effective Date, all matters provided for in the Plan involving the legal or corporate structure of the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors (including, without limitation, the adoption of the Amended/New Corporate Governance Documents and similar constituent and organizational documents, and the selection of directors and officers for, each of the Reorganized Debtors), and any legal or corporate action required by the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors in connection with the Plan, to the extent permitted by the law of the applicable Debtor's jurisdiction of incorporation to the extent such non-bankruptcy law is applicable, will be deemed to have occurred and will be in full force and effect in all respects, in each case without further notice to or order of this Court, act or action under applicable law, regulation, order, or rule or any requirement of further action, vote or other approval or authorization by any Person or Entity.
- (d) On and after the Effective Date, the appropriate officers of the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors are authorized to issue, execute, and deliver, and consummate the transactions contemplated by, the contracts, agreements, documents, guarantees, pledges, consents, securities, certificates, resolutions and instruments contemplated by or described in the Plan in the name of and on behalf of the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors, in each case in form and substance acceptable to the Required Consenting Noteholders in the manner set forth in the Restructuring Support Agreement, and without further notice to or order of this Court, act or action under applicable law, regulation, order, or rule or any requirement of further action, vote or other approval or authorization by any Person or Entity. The secretary and any assistant secretary of the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors will be authorized to certify or attest to any of the foregoing actions.

- 33. Authority to Act. Each Debtor and Reorganized Debtor and their respective officers and directors, are authorized and empowered pursuant to Section 303 of the Delaware General Corporation Law and other applicable laws, to take any and all actions necessary or desirable to implement the transactions contemplated by the Plan and this Confirmation Order, in each case without any requirement of further vote, consent, approval, authorization or other action by the stockholders, security holders, officers, directors, partners, managers, members or other applicable owners or notice to, order of, or hearing before this Court. Each federal, state, and local (domestic or foreign) governmental agency or department is hereby authorized and directed to accept any and all documents and instruments necessary and appropriate to consummate the Plan and the transactions contemplated thereby.
- Section 1146(a) of the Bankruptey Code, any issuance, transfer, or exchange of a security, or the making or delivery of an instrument of transfer of property, pursuant to or in connection with the Plan or the Restructuring Documents will not be subject to any Stamp or Similar Tax or governmental assessment in the United States or by any other Governmental Unit, and this Confirmation Order hereby directs the appropriate federal, state or local (domestic or foreign) governmental officials or agents to forgo the collection of any such Stamp or Similar Tax or governmental assessment and to accept for filing and recordation instruments or other documents evidencing such action or event without the payment of any such Stamp or Similar Tax or governmental assessment. Such exemption specifically applies, without limitation, to (i) all actions, agreements and documents necessary to evidence and implement the provisions of, transactions contemplated by and the distributions to be made under this Confirmation Order, the Plan or the Restructuring Documents, (ii) the issuance and distribution of the New Common Stock

or Plan Securities and Documents, and (iii) the maintenance or creation of security interests or any Lien as contemplated by the Plan or the Restructuring Documents.

35. Professional Fee Claims.

- The Professionals or other Entities asserting a (a) Professional Fees. Professional Fee Claim for services rendered after the Petition Date and before the Effective Date must File with this Court and serve on the Reorganized Debtors and such other Entities designed by this Confirmation Order an application for final allowance of such Professional Fee Claim (each a "Final Fee Application") by no later than forty-five days after the Effective Date (the "Professional Fees Bar Date"); provided that the Reorganized Debtors will pay Professionals in the ordinary course of business for any work performed on and after the Effective Date, including those reasonable and documented fees and expenses incurred by Professionals in connection with the implementation and consummation of the Plan, in each case without further application or notice to this Court. Each Holder of an Allowed Professional Fee Claim shall be paid in full in Cash by the Reorganized Debtors, including from the Professional Fee Claim Reserve, within five Business Days after entry of the order approving such Allowed Professional Fee Claim. The Reorganized Debtors shall not commingle any funds contained in the Professional Fee Claim Reserve and shall use such funds to pay only the Professional Fee Claims, as and when allowed by order of this Court. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in the Plan, the failure of the Professional Fee Claim Reserve to satisfy in full the Professional Fee Claims shall not, in any way, operate or be construed as a cap or limitation on the amount of Professional Fee Claims due and payable by the Reorganized Debtors.
- (b) <u>Service of Final Fee Applications</u>. All Final Fee Applications of Professionals shall be filed with this Court and actually served on or prior to the Professional Fees

Bar Date upon the following parties (collectively, the "Notice Parties"): (i) the Debtors, c/o Weatherford International plc, 2000 St. James Place, Houston, Texas 77056, Attn: Christina M. Ibrahim; (ii) co-counsel to the Debtors, Latham & Watkins LLP, 885 Third Avenue, New York, New York 10022, Attn: Keith A. Simon, Esq. and Lisa K. Lansio, Esq.; (iii) co-counsel to the Debtors, Hunton Andrews Kurth LLP, 600 Travis Street, Suite 4200, Houston, Texas 77002, Attn: Timothy A. ("Tad") Davidson II, Esq. and Ashley L. Harper, Esq.; (iv) counsel to the Ad Hoc Noteholder Committee, Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP, One Bryant Park, Bank of America Tower, New York, New York 10036, Attn: Michael S. Stamer, Esq. and Meredith A. Lahaie, Esq. and 2001 K Street N.W., Washington, DC 20006, Attn: Kate Doorley, Esq.; (v) counsel to the DIP Agent, Shearman & Sterling LLP, 599 Lexington Avenue, New York, New York 10022, Attn: Fredric Sosnick, Esq.; (vi) the U.S. Trustee, 515 Rusk Street, Suite 3516, Houston, TX 77002, Attn: Stephen D. Statham and Hector Duran, Jr.; and (vii) proposed counsel to the Creditors' Committee, (a) Ropes & Gray LLP, 1211 Avenue of the Americas, New York, New York 10036, Attn: Mark R. Somerstein, Esq. and Matthew Roose, Esq. and (b) Norton Rose Fulbright US LLP, 2200 Ross Avenue, Suite 3600, Dallas, Texas 75201, Attn: Louis R. Strubeck, Jr., Esq. and 1301 McKinney Street, Suite 5100, Houston, Texas 77010, Attn: Jason L. Boland, Esq.

Objections to and Hearing to Approve Final Fee Applications. Any objection to any Final Fee Application must be Filed with this Court, together with proof of service thereof, and served upon the applicable Professional and the other Notice Parties, so as to be actually received no later than 4:00 p.m. (prevailing Eastern Time) on the date that is thirty days after the filing of the applicable Final Fee Application (the "Professional Fees Objection Deadline"). Only those objections made in writing and timely filed and received by the

Professional Fees Objection Deadline will be considered by this Court. If no objection to a Final Fee Application is timely filed and served in accordance with the procedures set forth herein, then this Court may enter a Final Order approving such uncontested Final Fee Application without further notice and the Reorganized Debtors, as applicable shall pay the amounts requested in such uncontested Final Fee Application (or if any Final Fee Application is the subject of an objection, the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, shall pay the undisputed amounts described in such Final Fee Application). The hearing to consider approval of the Final Fee Applications, if necessary, will be held as soon as reasonably practicable after the expiration of the Professional Fees Objection Deadline and the date of such hearing will be promptly provided to the applicable Professional and Notice Parties and posted on the Debtors' restructuring website.

36. Funding and Use of Professional Fee Claim Reserve.

- (a) On or before the Effective Date, the Debtors will fund the Professional Fee Claim Reserve in such amount as determined by the Debtors, with the consent of the Required Consenting Noteholders and in consultation with the Creditors' Committee or as determined by order of this Court, as necessary in order to be able to pay in full in Cash the obligations and liabilities for which such reserve was established.
- (b) The Cash contained in the Professional Fee Claim Reserve will be used solely to pay the obligations and liabilities for which such reserve was established, with the Unused Cash Reserve Amount (if any) being returned to the Reorganized Debtors within three (3) Business Days after determining the Unused Cash Reserve Amount. The Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, will maintain detailed records of all payments made from the Professional Fee Claim Reserve, such that all payments and transactions will be adequately and promptly documented in, and readily ascertainable from, their respective books and records.

- (c) The Professional Fee Claim Reserve will be maintained in trust for the Professionals and will not be considered property of the Debtors' Estates; <u>provided</u> that the Reorganized Debtors will have a reversionary interest in the Unused Cash Reserve Amount. To the extent that funds held in the Professional Fee Claim Reserve do not or are unable to satisfy the full amount of the Allowed Professional Fee Claims, such Professionals will have an Allowed Administrative Claim for any such deficiency, which will be satisfied in full in Cash accordance with <u>Article II.A</u> of the Plan.
- (d) After the Effective Date, neither the Debtors nor the Reorganized Debtors will deposit any other funds or property into the Professional Fee Claim Reserve without further order of this Court or otherwise commingle funds in the Professional Fee Claim Reserve.
- 37. <u>Distributions Under the Plan.</u> All distributions under the Plan shall be made in accordance with <u>Article VII</u> of the Plan. Notwithstanding any policies, practices or procedures of DTC or any other applicable clearing system, DTC and all other applicable clearing systems shall cooperate with and take all actions reasonably requested by the Voting and Claims Agent or the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee to facilitate distributions to Holders of Allowed Claims without requiring that such distributions be characterized as repayments of principal or interest. No Distribution Agent, including the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee in any capacity, shall be required to provide indemnification or other security to DTC in connection with any distributions to Holders of Allowed Claims through the facilities of DTC.
- 38. DTC shall be required to accept and conclusively rely upon the Plan or this Confirmation Order in lieu of a legal opinion regarding whether the Plan Securities (other than the Rights Offering Notes issued to the Backstop Parties pursuant to the Backstop Commitment

Agreement) are exempt from registration and/or eligible for DTC book-entry delivery, settlement, and depository services.

- 39. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Plan or Confirmation Order, no entity (including, for the avoidance of doubt, DTC) shall be entitled to require a legal opinion regarding the validity of any transaction contemplated by the Plan or this Confirmation Order, including, for the avoidance of doubt, whether the Plan Securities (other than the Rights Offering Notes issued to the Backstop Parties pursuant to the Backstop Commitment Agreement) are exempt from registration and/or eligible for DTC book entry delivery, settlement, and depositary services.
- 40. <u>Resolution of Contingent, Unliquidated and Disputed Claims</u>. Except as otherwise ordered by this Court, any Claim that is not an Allowed Claim as of the Confirmation Date shall be determined, resolved, or adjudicated in accordance with the terms of this Confirmation Order and the Plan, including, without limitation, <u>Article VIII</u> of the Plan.
- Allowed by Final Order; provided, that, notwithstanding the foregoing, payments or distributions under this Plan to Holders of Allowed Prepetition Notes Claims will be made in full on the Initial Distribution Date, regardless of whether such Holders hold any Disputed Claims.
- 42. <u>No Postpetition Interest on Claims</u>. Unless otherwise specifically provided for in the Plan, this Confirmation Order, or Final Order of this Court, or required by applicable

bankruptcy law (including, without limitation, as required pursuant to Section 506(b) or Section 511 of the Bankruptcy Code), postpetition interest shall not accrue or be paid on any Claims (except DIP Facility Claims) and no Holder of a Claim (except a DIP Facility Claim) will be entitled to interest accruing on or after the Petition Date on any Claim, provided, that to the extent provided for in the contracts or instruments giving rise to a Class 8 General Unsecured Claim or required to be paid on a Class 8 General Unsecured Claim under applicable non-bankruptcy law, interest shall accrue on Class 8 General Unsecured Claims at the relevant contractual rate or other rate applicable under relevant non-bankruptcy law.

- A3. Reserve for Disputed Claims and Disputed Equity Interests. The Debtors, the Reorganized Debtors, and the Distribution Agent may establish such appropriate reserves for Disputed Claims and Disputed Equity Interests in the applicable Class(es) as it determines necessary and appropriate, in each case with the consent of the Required Consenting Noteholders or as approved by order of this Court. Without limiting the foregoing, reserves (if any) for Disputed Claims and Disputed Equity Interests will equal, as applicable, an amount of property equal to 100% of distributions to which Holders of Disputed Claims and Disputed Equity Interests in each applicable Class would otherwise be entitled under the Plan as of such date if such Disputed Claims and Disputed Equity Interests were Allowed based on the Debtors' books and records; provided, however, that the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, will have the right to file a motion seeking to estimate any Disputed Claims or Disputed Equity Interest.
- 44. Payment of Statutory Fees; Post-Effective Date Fees and Expenses. All fees payable pursuant to Section 1930 (a) of the Judicial Code, as determined by this Court at a hearing pursuant to Section 1128 of the Bankruptcy Code to the extent necessary, shall be paid by each of the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors (or the Distribution Agent on behalf of each of the Debtors

or Reorganized Debtors), as applicable, for each quarter (including any fraction thereof) until the earliest to occur of the entry of (a) a final decree closing such Debtor's Chapter 11 Case, (b) an order dismissing such Debtor's Chapter 11 Case, or (c) an order converting such Debtor's Chapter 11 Case to a case under chapter 7 of the Bankruptcy Code. The Reorganized Debtors will pay the liabilities and charges that they incur on or after the Effective Date for Professionals' fees, disbursements, expenses, or related support services (including reasonable fees, costs and expenses incurred by Professionals relating to the preparation of interim and final fee applications and obtaining this Court's approval thereof) in the ordinary course of business and without application or notice to, or order of, this Court, including, without limitation, the reasonable fees, expenses, and disbursements of the Distribution Agents and the fees, costs and expenses incurred by Professionals in connection with the implementation, enforcement and Consummation of the Plan and the Restructuring Documents.

- 45. Payment of Fees and Expenses of Certain Creditors. The Debtors will, on and after the Effective Date and to the extent invoiced in accordance with the terms of the applicable engagement letter, pay the Ad Hoc Noteholder Committee Fees and Expenses (whether accrued prepetition or postpetition and to the extent not otherwise paid during the Chapter 11 Cases), without the need for application by any such parties to this Court, and without notice and a hearing pursuant to Section 1129(a)(4) of the Bankruptcy Code or otherwise.
- 46. Payment of Fees and Expenses of the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee. The Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors will, as applicable, on and after the Effective Date, and upon the presentment of invoices in customary form (which may be redacted to preserve any confidential or privileged information), pay the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee Fees and Expenses (in each case whether accrued prepetition or postpetition and to the extent not otherwise paid during the

Chapter 11 Cases and the fees and expenses of the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee solely in its capacity as Distribution Agent under the Plan), without the need for application by any party to this Court, and without notice and a hearing pursuant to Section 1129(a)(4) of the Bankruptcy Code or otherwise. Nothing herein will be deemed to impair, waive, or discharge the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee Charging Lien for any amounts not paid pursuant to the Plan and otherwise claimed by the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee pursuant to and in accordance with the Prepetition Notes Indentures.

- 47. Payment of Fees and Expenses of Counsel for the Consenting Equityholders. On the Effective Date, the Debtors shall pay \$250,000 to Proskauer Rose LLP, counsel for the Consenting Equityholders (as defined in the Restructuring Support Agreement), in full and final satisfaction of any and all fees, costs, and expenses incurred by the Consenting Equityholders and their advisors, and no additional claims for the reimbursement of fees, costs, and/or expenses shall be asserted against the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors by or on behalf of the Consenting Equityholders, including, without limitation, pursuant to Section 503 of the Bankruptcy Code.
- 48. Existing Equity Interests. On the Effective Date, the Equity Interests in Weatherford Parent will be terminated and cancelled without further notice to or order of this Court, act or action under applicable law, regulation, order, or rule or any requirement of further action, vote or other approval or authorization by any Person or Entity. On the Effective Date, the Intercompany Equity Interests will remain effective and outstanding, except to the extent modified pursuant to the terms of the Reorganization Steps Overview (provided such steps are taken in accordance with applicable law to the extent such non-bankruptcy law is applicable), and will be owned and held by the same applicable Person(s) that held and/or owned such Intercompany Equity Interests immediately prior to the Effective Date. Each Parent Subsidiary will continue to

be governed by the terms and conditions of its applicable corporate governance documents as in effect immediately prior to the Effective Date, except as amended or modified by the Plan, where such amendment or modification is permitted under the law of the Parent Subsidiary's jurisdiction of incorporation to the extent such non-bankruptcy law is applicable.

49. DIP Facility Claims. The DIP Facility Claims are Allowed in the full amount due and owing under the DIP Financing Documents, including all principal, accrued and accruing postpetition interest, costs, fees and expenses. On the Effective Date and as a condition to Consummation, the Allowed DIP Facility Claims will, in full satisfaction, settlement, discharge and release of, and in exchange for such DIP Facility Claims, be indefeasibly paid in full in Cash from the proceeds of the Exit Facility (or, in the case of "Swap Obligations" and "Banking Services Obligations" be treated as the applicable Holder thereof shall otherwise agree), any unused commitments under the Revolving Credit Facility (as defined in the DIP Credit Agreement) shall be deemed terminated, and the DIP Facility Liens will be deemed discharged, released, and terminated for all purposes without further action of or by any Person or Entity; provided that the DIP Contingent Obligations shall survive the Effective Date on an unsecured basis and shall be paid by the Reorganized Debtors as and when due. All Cash distributions to be made under the Plan to the DIP Agent on account of the DIP Facility Claims shall be made by wire transfer. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Plan or this Confirmation Order, the Allowed DIP Facility Claims and the Allowed Prepetition Debt Claims and the distributions to be made pursuant to the Plan on account of such Claims will not be subject to set off by the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors pursuant to section 553 of the Bankruptcy Code or applicable nonbankruptcy law and no proofs of Claim or interest shall be required to be filed in connection with the DIP Facility Claims. Notwithstanding the entry of this Order, from the Confirmation Date through the Effective Date, all claims, Liens, interest, rights, priorities, protections, and remedies afforded to the DIP Agents and DIP Lenders in the DIP Financing Documents, including, but not limited to, the obligation of the Debtors to pay the reasonable and documented out-of-pocket prepetition and post-petition fees, charges, and disbursements of legal counsel advising the DIP Agent in accordance with paragraph 3 of the DIP Final Order, shall remain in full force and effect and shall continue to constitute the legal, valid, binding, and enforceable obligations of Debtors, which obligations shall not be impaired, prejudiced, or modified in any way at any time prior to the indefeasible payment in full in Cash of the DIP Facility Claims on the Effective Date.

Notice of Confirmed Plan. In accordance with Bankruptcy Rules 2002(f)(7), 2002(k) and 3020(c), as soon as reasonably practicable after the Confirmation Date, the Debtors shall serve a notice of entry of this Confirmation Order, substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit B (the "Notice of Confirmed Plan") by first-class mail, postage prepaid on all known creditors, equity security holders, the U.S. Trustee and other parties-in-interest in these Chapter 11 Cases; provided, however, that such notice need not be given or served under or pursuant to the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, the Local Rules or this Confirmation Order to any Person or Entity to whom the Debtors mailed a notice of the Confirmation Hearing, but received such notice returned marked "undeliverable as addressed," "moved-left no forwarding address" or "forwarding order expired," or similar reason, unless the Debtors have been informed in writing by such Person or Entity of that Person's or Entity's new mailing address. The notice described herein is adequate and appropriate under the particular circumstances and no other or further notice is necessary or required. The Notice of Confirmed Plan shall have the effect of an order of this Court, shall constitute sufficient notice of the entry of the Confirmation Order to such filing and

recording officers and shall be a recordable instrument notwithstanding any contrary provision of applicable non-bankruptcy law.

- Notice of Effective Date. In accordance with Bankruptcy Rules 2002(f)(7), 2002(k) 51. and 3020(c), as soon as reasonably practicable after the occurrence of the Effective Date, the Reorganized Debtors shall serve a notice of the Effective Date, substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit C (the "Notice of Effective Date") by first-class mail, postage prepaid on all known creditors, equity security holders, the U.S. Trustee and other parties-in-interest in these Chapter 11 Cases; provided, however, that such notice need not be given or served under or pursuant to the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, the Local Rules or this Confirmation Order to any Person or Entity to whom the Debtors mailed a Notice of the Confirmed Plan, but received such notice returned marked "undeliverable as addressed," "moved-left no forwarding address" or "forwarding order expired," or similar reason, unless the Reorganized Debtors have been informed in writing by such Person or Entity of that Person's or Entity's new mailing address. The notice described herein is adequate and appropriate under the particular circumstances and no other or further notice is necessary or required. The Notice of Effective Date shall have the effect of an order of this Court, shall constitute sufficient notice of the occurrence of the Effective Date to such filing and recording officers and shall be a recordable instrument notwithstanding any contrary provision of applicable non-bankruptcy law.
- 52. <u>No Liability for Solicitation</u>. Based on the factual findings described in this Confirmation Order, the Debtors, the Reorganized Debtors and each of their respective Related Persons are not, and on account of or with respect to the offer, issuance, sale, or purchase of any security under the Plan, and/or solicitation of votes on the Plan, shall not be, liable at any time for any violation of any applicable law, rule, or regulation governing the solicitation of acceptances

or rejections of the Plan or the distribution, offer, issuance, sale, or purchase of any securities, including, without limitation, the applicable Plan Securities and Documents under the Plan. The Debtors, the Reorganized Debtors and each of their respective Related Persons have solicited votes on the Plan in good faith and in compliance with the applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, the Local Rules and all other applicable rules, laws, and regulations and are, therefore, entitled to, and are hereby granted, the protections afforded by Section 1125(e) of the Bankruptcy Code.

- 53. <u>Estimation Proceedings and Other Rights</u>. Any and all rights of the Debtors and Reorganized Debtors under Section 502(c) and Section 502(e) of the Bankruptcy Code are reserved.
- 54. <u>Failure to Consummate Plan</u>. If the Confirmation or the Consummation of the Plan does not occur with respect to one or more of the Debtors, then the Plan shall, with respect to such applicable Debtor or Debtors, be null and void in all respects and nothing contained in the Plan, the Disclosure Statement or this Confirmation Order shall: (1) constitute a waiver or release of any claims by or Claims against or Equity Interests in the Debtors; (2) prejudice in any manner the rights of the Debtors, any Holders or any other Entity; (3) constitute an Allowance of any Claim or Equity Interest; or (4) constitute an admission, acknowledgment, offer or undertaking by the Debtors, any Holders or any other Entity in any respect.
- 55. <u>Successors and Assigns</u>. The Plan will be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the Debtors, the Reorganized Debtors, all present and former Holders of Claims and Equity Interests, other parties-in-interest, and their respective heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and assigns. The rights, benefits, and obligations of any Person or Entity named or referred to in

the Plan will be binding on, and will inure to the benefit of, any heir, executor, administrator, successor, or assign of such Person or Entity.

- 56. <u>No Successors In Interest</u>. Except as to obligations expressly assumed pursuant to the Plan, the Reorganized Debtors shall not be deemed to be successors to the Debtors and shall not assume, nor be deemed to assume, or in any way be responsible for, any successor liability or similar liability with respect to the Debtors or the Debtors' operations that are not expressly assumed or reinstated in connection with, or expressly provided by, the Plan or this Confirmation Order.
- Some Section of Jurisdiction. Pursuant to Sections 105(a) and 1142 of the Bankruptcy Code and notwithstanding the entry of this Confirmation Order or the occurrence of the Effective Date, this Court shall retain exclusive jurisdiction over the Chapter 11 Cases and all Entities with respect to all matters arising under or in, or related to, the Chapter 11 Cases, the Debtors, and the Plan to the fullest extent permitted by law, including, among other things, jurisdiction over the matters set forth in Article XI of the Plan. This Court shall retain jurisdiction to hear and determine all matters arising from the implementation of this Confirmation Order. Notwithstanding the foregoing or any provision of this Confirmation Order to the contrary, any dispute arising under or in connection with the Exit Facility shall be dealt with in accordance with the provisions of the applicable Exit Facility Loan Document.
- 58. <u>Headings</u>. The headings contained within this Confirmation Order are used for the convenience of the parties and shall not alter or affect the meaning of the text of this Confirmation Order.
- 59. <u>References to Plan Provisions</u>. The failure specifically to include or reference any particular article, section or provision of the Plan (and the Plan Supplement) or any related

document in this Confirmation Order shall not diminish or impair the effectiveness of such article, section or provision, it being the intent of this Court that the Plan (and the exhibits and schedules thereto) be confirmed in its entirety and any related documents be approved in their entirety and incorporated herein by reference.

- 60. <u>No Admission or Waiver</u>. None of the filing of the Plan, any statement or provision contained within the Plan or the taking of any action by any Debtor with respect to the Plan (and Plan Supplement), the Disclosure Statement or Confirmation Order shall be or shall be deemed to be an admission or wavier of any rights of any Debtor.
- 61. <u>Confirmation Order Controlling</u>. The provisions of the Plan and of this Confirmation Order shall be construed in a manner consistent with each other so as to effect the purposes of each; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that if there is any conflict or inconsistency between the Plan and this Confirmation Order that cannot be so reconciled, then, solely to the extent of such inconsistency, the terms of this Confirmation Order shall control and govern.
- Modification of Plan. Without need for further order or authorization of this Court, the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors, subject to the consents required by the Plan, are authorized and empowered to make any and all modifications to any and all documents included as part of the Plan Supplement, and any other documents that are necessary to effectuate the Plan. Subject to the limitations and rights contained in the Plan, after the entry of this Confirmation Order, the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, may amend or modify the Plan in accordance with Section 1127(b) of the Bankruptcy Code or remedy any defect or omission or reconcile any inconsistency in the Plan in such manner as may be necessary to carry out the purpose and intent of the Plan. A Holder of a Claim or Equity Interest that has accepted the Plan shall be deemed to have accepted the Plan as altered, amended or modified, if the proposed

alteration, amendment or modification does not materially and adversely change the treatment of such Claim or Interest of such Holder.

- 63. <u>Waiver of Filings</u>. Any requirement under Section 521 of the Bankruptcy Code or Bankruptcy Rule 1007 obligating the Debtors to file any list, schedule, or statement with this Court or the U.S. Trustee (except for monthly operating reports or any other post-confirmation reporting obligation to the U.S. Trustee) is hereby waived.
- 64. <u>Nonseverability of Plan Provisions Upon Confirmation</u>. Each provision of the Plan is: (a) valid and enforceable in accordance with its terms; (b) integral to the Plan and may not be deleted or modified except as provided for in the Plan or this Confirmation Order; and (c) non-severable and mutually dependent. The provisions of this Confirmation Order and the provisions of the Plan are hereby deemed mutually non-severable and mutually dependent.
- 65. <u>Immediate Effectiveness of this Confirmation Order</u>. Pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 3020(e), the fourteen day stay of this Confirmation Order imposed thereby is waived and the Debtors are hereby authorized to consummate the Plan and the transactions contemplated thereby immediately upon the entry of this Confirmation Order upon the Court's docket, subject to the satisfaction or waiver of the conditions set forth in <u>Article IX</u> of the Plan.
- 66. <u>Final Order</u>. This Confirmation Order is a final order and the period in which an appeal thereof must be filed shall commence upon its entry.
 - 67. Miscellaneous/Reservations of Rights.
- (a) <u>MUFG Claim</u>. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Confirmation Order or the Plan (including, without limitation, <u>Article X</u> of the Plan): (a) the Claim of MUFG Americas Capital Leasing & Finance, LLC ("<u>MUFG</u>") against Weatherford Parent, as guarantor of the obligations of non-Debtor Weatherford Netherlands, B.V. ("<u>WIL-Netherlands</u>")

under that certain Master Equipment Lease Agreement, dated as of March 31, 2014, between MUFG and WIL-Netherlands (the "MUFG Equipment Lease") shall constitute an Allowed Claim in an amount equal to (1) \$19,150,160.07, plus (2) \$3,020.10 per day, beginning on September 12, 2019 and ending on the date on which the Allowed MUFG Claim (as defined below) is paid in full in accordance with clause (b) below, plus (3) the reasonable and documented fees and expenses of MUFG's counsel, Dechert LLP, accrued through the Effective Date (the sum of (1) through (3), collectively, the "Allowed MUFG Claim"); (b) the Allowed MUFG Claim shall be fully enforceable against Weatherford Parent; (c) as soon as practicable (but no more than five Business Days) after the earlier to occur of (1) the date on which the DIP Facility Claims are paid pursuant to the terms of the Plan and (2) the Effective Date of the Plan, Weatherford Parent shall pay, or cause WIL-Netherlands to pay, the Allowed MUFG Claim in full in cash in full satisfaction of Weatherford Parent's and WIL-Netherlands's accrued and unpaid obligations under the MUFG Equipment Lease; (d) this Court shall retain exclusive jurisdiction over all matters related to the Allowed MUFG Claim; and (e) nothing in the Plan or this Confirmation Order shall alter or affect any rights or remedies of MUFG against WIL-Netherlands, or any rights or defenses of WIL-Netherlands thereto.

(b) <u>Texas Ad Valorem Tax Authorities</u>. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained within the Plan or this Order, to the extent there are any secured ad valorem tax claims owing to Bexar County, Cypress-Fairbanks Independent School District, Harris County, Jim Wells CAD, Lee County, Nueces County and Victoria County ("<u>Texas Ad Valorem Tax Authorities</u>"), the Texas Ad Valorem Tax Authorities shall retain their statutory liens securing their tax claims until such time as the tax claims are paid in full.

- (c) Exterran Claimants. Both the Debtors and Exterran Energy Solutions, L.P. ("Exterran"), Archrock Services., L.P. (in its own capacity and as successor-in-interest to Exterran) ("Archrock"), and Universal Compression, Inc. (in its capacity as predecessor-ininterest to Exterran) ("Universal") have agreed that the parties' disputes should be resolved through the action pending in the 385th District Court of Texas (Midland County, Texas), captioned Weatherford International, LLC and Weatherford U.S., L.P. v. AB-Tex Beverage, Ltd.; Aegis Chemical Solutions, LLC; Aplex Industries, Inc.; Bell Petroleum Services, Inc.; City of Midland; Control Power, Inc.; Corcoat I, LLC; Core Laboratories, LP; Dawson Geophysical Company; Ecological Environmental Services, Inc.; Exterran Energy Solutions, L.P.; HY-Bon Engineering Company, Inc.; KES (USA) Inc.; Logicoat, Inc.; Luna Mesa Ventures, LLC; NCZ I, Inc.; Pentair, Inc.; Spectrum Brand Holdings, Inc.; and Strong Properties, LLC, No. CV-55471 (the "Exterran Lawsuit"), rather than in these Chapter 11 Cases. Accordingly, notwithstanding any provision of the Solicitation Order or the Plan to the contrary, or any other provision in this Confirmation Order, all Claims, Causes of Action, defenses, rights, or remedies of the Debtors and/or Exterran, Archrock, and Universal related to the Exterran Lawsuit, whether arising under contract, at law, in equity, or otherwise, and whether previously asserted in the Exterran Lawsuit or not, are expressly preserved, and none of the Plan, this Confirmation Order, nor any other order of this Court shall be construed as discharging, impairing, limiting or expanding the relief, remedies, or recovery available to the above-listed parties arising out of the Exterran Lawsuit. For the avoidance of doubt, upon the occurrence of the Effective Date, the automatic stay pursuant to Section 362 of the Bankruptcy Code shall no longer apply with respect to the Exterran Lawsuit.
- (d) <u>AlphaX Contract</u>. The Debtors have determined and confirm Weatherford International, LLC shall assume the agreement with AlphaX Decision Sciences, LLC ("AlphaX"),

to the extent they are executory contracts, comprised of the following: (i) LLC Agreement, (ii) Consulting Agreement, (iii) Services Agreement, and (iv) Intellectual Property License (collectively, the "AlphaX Contract"). The assumption shall not be subject to reversal as a result of any later determination of cure amounts. In the event the contracts are not executory, the Parties confirm any claims arising thereunder shall remain Claims comprising General Unsecured Claims, and allowance to be subject to the terms herein. The Debtors and AlphaX have disputes regarding the performance of the AlphaX Contract, and the cure required in connection with certain obligations arising under the Debtors' assumption of the AlphaX Contract. The Debtors and AlphaX agree that any of the parties' disputes that remain following assumption of the AlphaX Contract should be resolved through the dispute resolution terms provided in the AlphaX Contract. The Parties agreed that no provision of the Solicitation Order or the Plan, or any other provision in this Confirmation Order shall affect or prejudice any Claims, Causes of Action, rights, or remedies of the Debtors and/or AlphaX arising from or related to the AlphaX Contract, whether arising under contract, tort, at law, in equity, or otherwise (the "AlphaX Claims"). All such rights are expressly preserved, and neither the Plan, this Confirmation Order, nor any other order of this Court shall be construed as limiting the relief, remedies, or recovery available to either party in any future proceedings arising from or related to the AlphaX Contract. For the avoidance of doubt, upon the occurrence of the Confirmation Date, the automatic stay pursuant to Section 362 and any discharge or injunction under Section 524 and 1141 of the Bankruptcy Code, and any other injunction or exculpation under the Plan and this Confirmation Order, shall not apply with respect to any future proceedings between the parties regarding disputes arising from or related to the AlphaX Contract including in particular, but not limited to, the ability of AlphaX to receive full and complete payment for any AlphaX Claims or amounts to which it is determined by either the

dispute resolution procedures in accordance with the AlphaX Contract or final order of a court of competent jurisdiction to have a right to receive under the AlphaX Contract. Any notices to AlphaX shall also be concurrently sent to CAMARA & SIBLEY LLP, Attn. Joseph D. Sibley, 4400 Post Oak Pkwy., Suite 2700, Houston, Texas 77027, e-mail: sibley@camarasibley.com, facsimile: (713) 583-1131.

- (e) <u>GAMCO Opt-Out</u>. GAMCO Asset Management, Inc. and its affiliates ("<u>GAMCO</u>") have elected to opt out of the Third Party Release contained in the Plan. As a result, GAMCO is not a Releasing Party or a Released Party under the Plan.
- (f) AIG and Chubb Insurance Contracts. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Confirmation Order, the Disclosure Statement, the Plan (including, but not limited to Articles VI(E), VI(G) and VI(H) thereof), the Restructuring Documents, any other document related to any of the foregoing, or any other order of the Bankruptcy Court (including, without limitation, any other provision that purports to be preemptory or supervening or grants an injunction or release, confers Bankruptcy Court jurisdiction or requires a party to opt out of any releases), on and after the Effective Date:
 - (i) the Reorganized Debtors shall be deemed to have assumed all of the insurance policies that have been issued at any time and for any line of coverage by Federal Insurance Company, ACE American Insurance Company and any of their U.S. based affiliates and successors (collectively, "Chubb") or National Union Fire Insurance Company of Pittsburgh, Pa. and/or each of their affiliates and successors (collectively, the "AIG Companies" and together with Chubb, collectively, the "Insurers") to or provide coverage to any of the Debtors (collectively and together with any agreements related thereto and each as amended, modified, endorsed or supplemented and including any exhibit, schedule or addenda thereto, collectively, the "Insurance Contracts") in their entirety pursuant to Sections 105 and 365 of the Bankruptcy Code,
 - (ii) the Reorganized Debtors shall be substituted for the Debtors for purposes of responsibility for all of the obligations of the Debtors under the Insurance Contracts, regardless of whether such obligations arise before or after the Effective Date (collectively, and together with any ongoing monthly payments arising thereunder, the "Obligations"), and such Obligations shall be paid in full in

the ordinary course of business by the Debtors (or the Reorganized Debtors, as applicable) without the need or requirement for Insurers to file or serve any objection to a notice of proposed Cure Claim Amount (or lack of such notice) or file or serve a request, motion, or application for payment of or proof of any Claim or Administrative Claim (and further and for the avoidance of doubt, any Claim bar date or similar deadline or provision of the Plan governing a Cure Claim Amount or Administrative Claim shall not be applicable to the Insurers),

- (iii) nothing alters, modifies, affects, impairs, prejudices or otherwise amends the terms and conditions of the Insurance Contracts or prejudices the legal, equitable or contractual rights, obligations, and defenses of the Insurers, the Debtors (or, after the Effective Date, the Reorganized Debtors), or any other individual or entity, as applicable, under the Insurance Contracts, including, but not limited to, (A) any agreement to arbitrate disputes, (B) any provisions regarding the payment of amounts within any deductible by the Insurers (and the obligation of the Debtors to pay or reimburse the Insurers therefor), (C) any provisions regarding the application, provision, maintenance, use, nature and priority of collateral/security and (D) the duty, if any, that the Insurers have to pay claims covered by the Insurance Contracts; any such rights and obligations shall be determined under the applicable Insurance Contract and applicable non-bankruptcy law as if the Chapter 11 Cases had not occurred,
- (iv) except as otherwise provided for in this Section 67(f), nothing shall permit or otherwise effect a sale, assignment or any other transfer of the Insurance Contracts and/or any rights, benefits, claims, rights to payments, or recoveries under or relating thereto without the prior express written consent of the applicable Insurer,
- (v) nothing herein shall limit, alter, or impair the scope of Bankruptcy Code Section 365(b)(2) or 365(e)(1),
- (vi) nothing releases, impairs, modifies, or discharges the Debtors' (or, after the Effective Date, the Reorganized Debtors') Obligations due and owing to the Insurers arising from or pursuant to the Insurance Contracts, and
- (vii) the automatic stay of Bankruptcy Code Section 362(a) and the injunction set forth in $\underline{\text{Article }X(G)}$ of the Plan, if and to the extent applicable, shall be deemed lifted without further order of the Bankruptcy Court, solely to permit: (A) claimants with valid direct action claims against the Insurers under applicable non-bankruptcy law to proceed with their claims; (B) Insurers to administer, handle, defend, settle, and/or pay, in the ordinary course of business and without further order of the Bankruptcy Court, (I) all claims where a claimant asserts a direct claim against the Insurers under applicable law or an order has been entered by the Bankruptcy Court granting a claimant relief from the automatic stay or the injunction set forth in $\underline{\text{Article }X(G)}$ of the Plan to proceed with its claim and (II) all fees, costs, and expenses in relation to the foregoing; (C) the Insurers to draw against any or all of the collateral or security provided by or on behalf of the

Debtors (or the Reorganized Debtors, as applicable) at any time and to hold the proceeds thereof as security for the obligations of the Debtors (and the Reorganized Debtors, as applicable) under the applicable Insurance Contracts, in such order as the Insurers may determine; and (D) subject to the terms of the Insurance Contacts and to the extent permitted by applicable non-bankruptcy law, the Insurers to (I) cancel any policies under the Insurance Contracts, and (II) take other actions relating thereto.

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Chevron Agreements. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Plan, this Confirmation Order, or any other order entered in these Chapter 11 Cases, the Debtors' agreements with Chevron U.S.A. Inc. and its Affiliates (as defined in the Chevron Agreements, collectively, "Chevron") (such agreements, the "Chevron Agreements") shall be deemed assumed and affirmed upon the occurrence of the Effective Date. The Debtors and Reorganized Debtors shall continue to have and perform the obligations under the Chevron Agreements in accordance with their terms. Subject to Section 365(e) of the Bankruptcy Code in connection with these Chapter 11 Cases, all rights and claims of the parties under the Chevron Agreements are expressly preserved and nothing in, about or related to these Chapter 11 Cases (including but not limited to the confirmation of the Plan and the entry of the Confirmation Order) shall prevent the parties from maintaining, asserting or pursuing any right, claim or defense against the other party arising under the Chevron Agreements. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Plan, this Confirmation Order, or any other order entered in these Chapter 11 Cases, nothing in, about or related to these Chapter 11 Cases (including, but not limited to, the confirmation of the Plan and entry of the Confirmation Order) releases any entity from any claim, defense or Cause of Action of Chevron.

Signed: September 11, 2019.

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EXHIBIT A

Plan

IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS HOUSTON DIVISION

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In re:	: Chapter 11
WEATHERFORD INTERNATIONAL PLC, et al.,	: Case No. 19-33694 (DRJ)
Debtors. 1	: (Jointly Administered)
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SECOND AMENDED JOINT PREPACKAGED PLAN OF REORGANIZATION FOR WEATHERFORD INTERNATIONAL PLC AND ITS AFFILIATE DEBTORS UNDER CHAPTER 11 OF THE BANKRUPTCY CODE

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SECOND AMENDED JOINT PREPACKAGED PLAN OF REORGANIZATION FOR WEATHERFORD INTERNATIONAL PLC AND ITS AFFILIATE DEBTORS UNDER CHAPTER 11 OF THE BANKRUPTCY CODE

Weatherford International plc, Weatherford International Ltd., and Weatherford International, LLC (each a "Debtor" and, collectively, the "Debtors") jointly propose the following amended prepackaged chapter 11 plan of reorganization (the "Plan") for the resolution of the outstanding Claims (as defined below) against, and Equity Interests (as defined below) in, each of the Debtors. Although proposed jointly for administrative purposes, this Plan constitutes a separate Plan for each Debtor for the resolution of outstanding Claims against and Equity Interests in each Debtor pursuant to the Bankruptcy Code (as defined below). The Debtors are the proponents of this Plan within the meaning of section 1129 of the Bankruptcy Code. Reference is made to the Disclosure Statement (as such term is defined herein and distributed contemporaneously herewith) for a discussion of the Debtors' history, business, results of operations, historical financial information, and projections, and for a summary and analysis of this Plan, the treatment provided for herein and certain related matters. There also are other agreements and documents, which will be filed with the Bankruptcy Court (as defined below), that are referenced in this Plan or the Disclosure Statement as Exhibits and Plan Schedules. All such Exhibits and Plan Schedules are incorporated into and are a part of this Plan as if set forth in full herein. Subject to certain restrictions and requirements set forth in 11 U.S.C. § 1127, Fed. R. Bankr. P. 3019 and the terms and conditions set forth in this Plan, the Debtors reserve the right to alter, amend, modify, revoke or withdraw this Plan prior to its substantial consummation.

ARTICLE I.

RULES OF INTERPRETATION, COMPUTATION OF TIME AND DEFINED TERMS

A. Rules of Interpretation; Computation of Time

For purposes herein: (a) in the appropriate context, each term, whether stated in the singular or the plural, will include both the singular and the plural, and pronouns stated in the masculine, feminine or neuter gender will include the masculine, feminine and the neuter gender; (b) any reference herein to a contract, lease, instrument, release, indenture, or other agreement or document being in a particular form or on particular terms and conditions means that the referenced item will be substantially in that form or substantially on those terms and conditions; (c) except as otherwise provided herein, any reference herein to a contract, lease, instrument, release, indenture, or other agreement or document will mean as it may be amended, modified or supplemented from time to time; (d) any reference to an Entity as a Holder of a Claim or an Equity Interest includes that Entity's successors and assigns; (e) unless otherwise specified, all references herein to "Articles", "Sections", "Exhibits" and "Plan Schedules" are references to Articles, Sections, Exhibits and Plan Schedules hereof or hereto; (f) unless otherwise stated, the words "herein," "hereof," "hereunder" and "hereto" refer to this Plan in its entirety rather than to a particular portion of this Plan; (g) subject to the provisions of any contract, certificate of incorporation, bylaw, instrument, release, indenture, or other agreement or document entered into in connection with this Plan and except as expressly provided in 0 of this Plan, the rights and obligations arising pursuant to this Plan will be governed by, and construed and enforced in accordance with the applicable federal law, including the Bankruptcy Code and Bankruptcy Rules; (h) except as

otherwise specifically provided herein, any provision in this Plan, the Exhibits and Plan Schedules hereto, and the Plan Supplement will be in form and substance consistent in all respects with the Restructuring Support Agreement and subject to the consent and consultation rights of the parties thereto (as specified in the Restructuring Support Agreement) in all respects; (i) captions and headings to Articles and Sections are inserted for convenience of reference only and are not intended to be a part of or to affect the interpretation hereof; (j) the rules of construction set forth in section 102 of the Bankruptcy Code will apply to this Plan; (k) references to a specific article, section, or subsection of any statute, rule, or regulation expressly referenced herein will, unless otherwise specified, include any amendments to or successor provisions of such article, section, or subsection; (1) any term used in capitalized form herein that is not otherwise defined but that is used in the Bankruptcy Code or the Bankruptcy Rules will have the meaning assigned to that term in the Bankruptcy Code or the Bankruptcy Rules, as the case may be; (m) references to "shareholders," "directors," and/or "officers" will also include "members" and/or "managers," as applicable, as such terms are defined under the applicable state limited liability company laws; and (n) all references to statutes, regulations, orders, rules of courts, and the like will mean as amended from time to time, and as applicable to the Chapter 11 Cases, unless otherwise stated. Except as otherwise specifically provided in this Plan to the contrary, references in this Plan to "the Debtors" or to "the Reorganized Debtors" will mean "the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors", as applicable, to the extent the context requires.

Unless otherwise specifically stated herein, the provisions of Bankruptcy Rule 9006(a) will apply in computing any period of time prescribed or allowed herein. If the date on which a transaction may occur pursuant to this Plan will occur on a day that is not a Business Day, then such transaction will instead occur on the next succeeding Business Day.

B. Defined Terms

Unless the context otherwise requires, the following terms will have the following meanings when used in capitalized form herein:

"510(b) Equity Claim" means any Claim subordinated pursuant to section 510(b) of the Bankruptcy Code.

"Accrued Professional Compensation" means, with respect to a particular Professional, an Administrative Claim of such Professional for compensation for services rendered or reimbursement of costs, expenses or other charges incurred on or after the Petition Date and prior to and including the Effective Date.

"Ad Hoc Noteholder Committee" means that certain ad hoc committee of Holders of the Prepetition Notes represented by Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP and Evercore Group L.L.C.

"Ad Hoc Noteholder Committee Fees and Expenses" means all unpaid reasonable and documented fees and out-of-pocket expenses of the Ad Hoc Noteholder Committee Professionals incurred in connection with the Chapter 11 Cases.

"Ad Hoc Noteholder Committee Professionals" means, collectively, (i) Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP, Arthur Cox, one local law firm (and, with the consent of the Debtors, more

than one local law firm) in each relevant jurisdiction outside of the United States and England & Wales, as legal counsel to the Ad Hoc Noteholder Committee and (ii) Evercore Group L.L.C, as financial advisor to the Ad Hoc Noteholder Committee.

"Administrative Claim" means a Claim for costs and expenses of administration of the Chapter 11 Cases that are Allowed under sections 503(b), 507(a)(2), 507(b), or 1114(e)(2) of the Bankruptcy Code other than the DIP Facility Claims, including, without limitation: (a) any actual and necessary costs and expenses incurred on or after the Petition Date and through the Effective Date of preserving the Estates and operating the businesses of the Debtors; (b) Professional Fee Claims and any other compensation for legal, financial, advisory, accounting, and other services and reimbursement of expenses Allowed by the Bankruptcy Court under sections 328, 330, 331 or 503(b) of the Bankruptcy Code to the extent incurred on or after the Petition Date and through the Effective Date; (c) all fees and charges assessed against the Estates under section 1930, chapter 123, of title 28, United States Code; and (d) all requests for compensation or expense reimbursement for making a substantial contribution in the Chapter 11 Cases Allowed pursuant to sections 503(b)(3), (4) and (5) of the Bankruptcy Code.

"Affiliate" means an "affiliate", as defined in section 101(2) of the Bankruptcy Code.

"Affiliate Debtor(s)" means, individually or collectively, any Debtor or Debtors other than Weatherford Parent.

"Allowed" means, with respect to a Claim or Equity Interest: (a) any Claim or Equity Interest as to which no objection to allowance has been interposed (either in the Bankruptcy Court or in the ordinary course of business) on or before the applicable time period fixed by applicable non-bankruptcy law or such other applicable period of limitation fixed by the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules or the Bankruptcy Court, or as to which any objection has been determined by a Final Order, either before or after the Effective Date, to the extent such objection is determined in favor of the respective Holder; (b) any Claim or Equity Interest as to which the liability of the Debtors and the amount thereof are determined by a Final Order of a court of competent jurisdiction other than the Bankruptcy Court, either before or after the Effective Date; or (c) any Claim or Equity Interest expressly deemed Allowed by this Plan, including, without limitation, the DIP Facility Claims.

"Amended/New Corporate Governance Documents" means, as applicable, the amended and restated or new applicable corporate governance documents of the Reorganized Debtors in substantially the form Filed with the Plan Supplement, which documents will be acceptable to the Required Consenting Noteholders in their sole discretion.

"Avoidance Actions" means any and all avoidance, recovery, subordination or similar actions or remedies that may be brought by and on behalf of the Debtors or their Estates under the Bankruptcy Code or applicable non-bankruptcy law, including, without limitation, actions or remedies arising under chapter 5 of the Bankruptcy Code.

"Backstop Commitment Agreement" means that certain Backstop Commitment Agreement entered into by the Debtors and the Backstop Parties prior to the Petition Date, in the form attached to this Plan or to the Disclosure Statement or Filed with the Plan Supplement, as amended by the

First Amended Backstop Commitment Agreement dated September 9, 2019 and otherwise in form and substance acceptable to the Backstop Parties.

"Backstop Parties" means those parties that agree to backstop the Rights Offering for the Exit Senior Unsecured Notes pursuant to the Backstop Commitment Agreement, each in its respective capacity as such.

"Ballots" means the ballots accompanying the Disclosure Statement upon which Holders of Impaired Claims and Equity Interests entitled to vote will, among other things, indicate their acceptance or rejection of this Plan in accordance with this Plan and the procedures governing the solicitation process, and which must be actually received by the Voting and Claims Agent on or before the Voting Deadline.

"Bankruptcy Code" means title 11 of the United States Code, 11 U.S.C. §§ 101-1532, as amended from time to time and as applicable to the Chapter 11 Cases.

"Bankruptcy Court" means the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of Texas, having jurisdiction over the Chapter 11 Cases and, to the extent of the withdrawal of any reference under section 157 of title 28 of the United States Code and/or the Order of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Texas pursuant to section 157(a) of the Judicial Code, the United States District Court for the Southern District of Texas.

"Bankruptcy Rules" means the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure and the Local Rules of the Bankruptcy Court, in each case as amended from time to time and as applicable to the Chapter 11 Cases.

"Business Day" means any day, other than a Saturday, Sunday or "legal holiday" (as defined in Bankruptcy Rule 9006(a)).

"Cash" means the legal tender of the United States of America or the equivalent thereof.

"Causes of Action" means any claims, causes of action (including Avoidance Actions), demands, actions, suits, obligations, liabilities, cross-claims, counterclaims, offsets, or setoffs of any kind or character whatsoever, in each case whether known or unknown, contingent or non-contingent, matured or unmatured, suspected or unsuspected, foreseen or unforeseen, direct or indirect, choate or inchoate, existing or hereafter arising, under statute, in contract, in tort, in law, or in equity, or pursuant to any other theory of law, federal or state, whether asserted or assertable directly or derivatively in law or equity or otherwise by way of claim, counterclaim, cross-claim, third party action, action for indemnity or contribution or otherwise, based in whole or in part upon any act or omission or other event occurring prior to the Petition Date or during the course of the Chapter 11 Cases, including through the Effective Date.

"Chapter 11 Case(s)" means (a) when used with reference to a particular Debtor, the case under chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code that will be commenced by such Debtor in the Bankruptcy Court, and (b) when used with reference to all Debtors, the cases under chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code that will be commenced by the Debtors in the Bankruptcy Court.

- "Claim" means any "claim" (as defined in section 101(5) of the Bankruptcy Code) against any Debtor.
- "Claims Register" means the official register of Claims and Equity Interests maintained by the Voting and Claims Agent.
- "Class(es)" means a category of Holders of Claims or Equity Interests as set forth in <u>Article III</u> hereof pursuant to section 1122(a) of the Bankruptcy Code.
- "Collateral" means any property or interest in property of the Debtors' Estates that is subject to a valid and enforceable Lien to secure a Claim.
- "Committee" means the official committee of unsecured creditors appointed in the Chapter 11 Cases pursuant to section 1102 of the Bankruptcy Code by the United States Trustee, pursuant to the *Notice of Appointment of Committee of Unsecured Creditors* [Docket No. 182] on July 17, 2019, and as such may be reconstituted from time to time.
- "Confirmation" means the occurrence of the Confirmation Date, subject to all conditions specified in <u>Article IX</u> of this Plan having been satisfied or waived pursuant to <u>Article IX</u> of this Plan.
- "Confirmation Date" means the date on which the clerk of the Bankruptcy Court enters the Confirmation Order on the docket of the Bankruptcy Court in the Chapter 11 Cases.
- "Confirmation Hearing" means the combined hearing held by the Bankruptcy Court pursuant to sections 105(d)(2)(B)(vi) and 1128 of the Bankruptcy Code to consider (i) approval of the Disclosure Statement under sections 1125 and 1126(b) of the Bankruptcy Code and (ii) confirmation of this Plan, as such hearing may be adjourned or continued from time to time.
- "Confirmation Order" means the order of the Bankruptcy Court (i) approving the Disclosure Statement and (ii) confirming this Plan pursuant to sections 1125, 1126(b) and 1129 of the Bankruptcy Code, which shall, to the extent required by the DIP Credit Agreement, be in form and substance satisfactory or reasonably satisfactory, as applicable, to the DIP Agent and the DIP Required Lenders.
- "Consenting Noteholders" means those Holders of the Prepetition Notes that are party to the Restructuring Support Agreement as "Consenting Noteholders" thereunder.
 - "Consummation" means the occurrence of the Effective Date.
- "D&O Liability Insurance Policies" means all insurance policies (including, without limitation, the D&O Tail Policy, any general liability policies, any errors and omissions policies, and, in each case, any agreements, documents, or instruments related thereto) issued at any time and providing coverage for liability of any Debtor's directors, managers, and officers.
- "D&O Tail Policy" means that certain directors' & officers' liability insurance policy purchased by the Debtors on or about June, 2019.

- "Debtor Release" has the meaning set forth in Article X.B hereof.
- "Debtor Releasing Parties" has the meaning set forth in Article X.B hereof.
- "DIP Agent" means Citibank, N.A., or its duly appointed successor, in its capacity as administrative agent and collateral agent under the DIP Credit Agreement.
- "DIP Credit Agreement" means that certain Senior Secured Superpriority Debtor-in-Possession Credit Agreement, dated as of June, 2019, by and among the Debtors, the DIP Agent, and the DIP Lenders, as amended, amended and restated, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time in accordance with the terms thereof prior to the Effective Date.
- "DIP Contingent Obligations" means all contingent obligations not due and payable under the DIP Financing Documents on the Effective Date, including any and all indemnification and expense reimbursement obligations of the Debtors that are contingent as of the Effective Date.
- "DIP Facility" means the debtor-in-possession financing facility provided by the DIP Lenders consisting of a (i) up to \$750,000,000 debtor-in-possession first lien revolving credit facility provided by certain lenders and (ii) a \$1,000,000,000 debtor-in-possession term loan facility provided by certain of the Consenting Noteholders and fully backstopped by certain of the Consenting Noteholders.
- "DIP Facility Claims" means any and all Claims arising from, under, or in connection with the DIP Credit Agreement or any other DIP Financing Documents, including Claims for all principal amounts outstanding, interest, fees, expenses, costs, and other charges and all other "Obligations," "Swap Obligations," and "Banking Services Obligations" as defined in the DIP Credit Agreement.
 - "DIP Facility Liens" means the Liens securing the payment of the DIP Facility Claims.
 - "DIP Final Order" means the "Final Order" as defined in the DIP Credit Agreement.
- "DIP Financing Documents" means the "Loan Documents" and the "Swap Agreements" as defined in the DIP Credit Agreement, as well as any documents evidencing "Banking Services Obligations" (as defined in the DIP Credit Agreement), and the DIP Orders, in each case as amended, amended and restated, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time in accordance with the terms thereof prior to the Effective Date.
- "DIP Lenders" means the banks, financial, institutions, and other lenders party to the DIP Facility from time to time, and each arranger, bookrunner, syndication agent, manager, and documentation agent party to the DIP Credit Agreement from time to time.
- "DIP Orders" means, collectively, the "Interim Order" as defined in the DIP Credit Agreement and the DIP Final Order.
- "DIP Required Lenders" shall mean the "Required Lenders" as defined in the DIP Credit Agreement.

"Disclosure Statement" means that certain Disclosure Statement for Joint Prepackaged Plan Of Reorganization For Weatherford International plc And Its Affiliate Debtors Under Chapter 11 Of The Bankruptcy Code, dated as of June 28, 2019 (as amended, supplemented, or modified from time to time).

"Disputed" means any Claim or Equity Interest, or any portion thereof, that has not been Allowed, but has not been disallowed pursuant to this Plan or a Final Order of the Bankruptcy Court.

"Distribution Agent" means the Reorganized Debtors or any party designated by the Reorganized Debtors to serve as distribution agent under this Plan. For purposes of distributions under this Plan to the Holders of Allowed DIP Facility Claims, Allowed Prepetition Debt Claims and Allowed Prepetition Notes Claims, the DIP Agent, the Prepetition Agents, and the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee, respectively, will be and will act as the Distribution Agent.

"Distribution Record Date" means the date for determining which Holders of Claims and Equity Interests are eligible to receive distributions under this Plan, which date will be the Effective Date, subject to Article VII.D of this Plan. The Distribution Record Date shall not apply to the Prepetition Notes Claims or any securities of the Debtors deposited with DTC, the holders of which shall receive a distribution in accordance with Article VII of this Plan and, as applicable, the customary procedures of DTC.

"DTC" means the Depository Trust Company.

"Effective Date" means the first Business Day on which the conditions specified in <u>Article IX</u> of this Plan, have been satisfied or waived in accordance with the terms of <u>Article IX</u>.

"Election Amount" has the meaning set forth in Article V.V of this Plan.

"Employment Plans" has the meaning set forth in 0 of this Plan.

"Entity" means an "entity" as defined in section 101(15) of the Bankruptcy Code.

"Equity Interest" means (a) any Equity Security or other ownership interest in any Debtor, including, without limitation, all issued, unissued, authorized or outstanding units, shares of stock and other ownership interests, together with (i) any options, warrants or contractual rights to purchase or acquire any such Equity Securities at any time with respect to any Debtor, and all rights arising with respect thereto and (ii) the rights of any Person or Entity to purchase or demand the issuance of any of the foregoing and will include: (1) conversion, exchange, voting, participation, and dividend rights; (2) liquidation preferences; (3) options, warrants, and call and put rights; (4) share-appreciation rights; and (5) all Unexercised Equity Interests; and (b) any 510(b) Equity Claim, in each case, as in existence immediately prior to the Effective Date.

"Equity Security" means an "equity security" as defined in section 101(16) of the Bankruptcy Code.

"Estate(s)" means, individually, the estate of each of the Debtors and, collectively, the estates of all of the Debtors created under section 541 of the Bankruptcy Code.

"Exchange Act" means the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, 15 U.S.C. §§ 78a et seq., as now in effect or hereafter amended, and any rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

"Exculpated Parties" means, collectively: (a) the Debtors; (b) the Reorganized Debtors; (c) the Prepetition Agents; (d) the Prepetition Lenders; (e) the Exit Senior Unsecured Notes Indenture Trustee; (f) the DIP Agent; (g) the DIP Lenders; (h) the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee; (i) the Ad Hoc Noteholder Committee and the members thereof in their capacities as such; (j) the Consenting Noteholders; (k) the Backstop Parties; (l) the Distribution Agents; (m) the Exit Facility Lenders; (n) the Exit Facility Agent; (o) the Provisional Liquidator; (p) the Committee and its current and former members in their capacities as such; and (q) with respect to each of the foregoing Entities in clauses (a) through (p), each such Entity's Related Persons, in each case solely in their capacity as such.

"Exculpation" means the exculpation provision set forth in Article X.E hereof.

"Executory Contract" means a contract to which any Debtor is a party that is subject to assumption or rejection under section 365 of the Bankruptcy Code.

"Exhibit" means an exhibit annexed to either this Plan or as an appendix to the Disclosure Statement (as such exhibits are amended, modified or otherwise supplemented from time to time).

"Existing Common Stock" means all ordinary shares of \$0.0001 each in share capital of Weatherford Parent issued and outstanding immediately prior to the Effective Date.

"Exit Facility" means the secured revolving credit facility with availability of at least \$600,000,000, including a letter of credit sublimit of \$500,000,000, as contemplated under the Exit Facility Credit Agreement.

"Exit Facility Agent" means the administrative agent and collateral agent under the Exit Facility Credit Agreement, solely in its capacity as such.

"Exit Facility Credit Agreement" means the credit agreement for the Exit Facility, the terms and conditions of which are acceptable to the Debtors and the Consenting Noteholders in the manner set forth in the Restructuring Support Agreement.

"Exit Facility Lenders" means each of the lenders under the Exit Facility Credit Agreement, solely in their respective capacities as such.

"Exit Facility Loan Documents" means the Exit Facility Credit Agreement, and other documents (including UCC financing statements), contracts, and agreements entered into with respect to, or in connection with, the Exit Facility Credit Agreement.

"Exit Senior Unsecured Notes" means, the senior unsecured notes to be issued by Reorganized Weatherford Delaware and/or Reorganized Weatherford Bermuda, or both, on the Effective Date in the amount of up to \$2,100,000,000, which Exit Senior Unsecured Notes shall consist of the Rights Offering Notes and the Takeback Notes and shall have the terms set forth in the Exit Senior Unsecured Notes Indenture.

"Exit Senior Unsecured Notes Documents" means the Exit Senior Unsecured Notes, the Exit Senior Unsecured Notes Indenture, and other documents, contracts, and agreements entered into with respect, or in connection with, the Exit Senior Unsecured Notes Indenture.

"Exit Senior Unsecured Notes Indenture" means, the indenture or indentures governing the Exit Senior Unsecured Notes, in substantially the form Filed with the Bankruptcy Court, which indenture or indentures will contain terms and conditions consistent with the Restructuring Support Agreement and otherwise acceptable to the initial holders of the Exit Senior Unsecured Notes and the Debtors, and otherwise reasonably acceptable to the Required Consenting Noteholders.

"Exit Senior Unsecured Notes Indenture Trustee" means the indenture trustee under the Exit Senior Unsecured Notes Indenture.

"File" or "Filed" or "Filing" means file, filed or filing with the Bankruptcy Court or its authorized designee in the Chapter 11 Cases.

"Final Order" means an order or judgment of the Bankruptcy Court, or court of competent jurisdiction with respect to the subject matter, as entered on the docket in any Chapter 11 Case or the docket of any court of competent jurisdiction, and as to which the time to appeal, or seek certiorari or move for a new trial, reargument, or rehearing has expired and no appeal or petition for certiorari or other proceedings for a new trial, reargument, or rehearing has been timely taken, or as to which any appeal that has been taken or any petition for certiorari that has been or may be timely Filed has been withdrawn or resolved by the highest court to which the order or judgment was appealed or from which certiorari was sought or the new trial, reargument, or rehearing will have been denied, resulted in no stay pending appeal of such order, or has otherwise been dismissed with prejudice; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that the possibility that a motion under Rule 60 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, or any analogous rule under the Bankruptcy Rules, may be filed with respect to such order will not preclude such order from being a Final Order.

"General Unsecured Claim" means any Claim that is not a/an: Administrative Claim; DIP Facility Claim; Professional Fee Claim; Priority Tax Claim; Secured Tax Claim; Other Priority Claim; Other Secured Claim; Intercompany Claim; Prepetition Debt Claim; or 510(b) Equity Claim.

"Governmental Unit" means a "governmental unit" as defined in section 101(27) of the Bankruptcy Code.

"Holder" means either a Prepetition Noteholder or an Entity holding a Claim or Equity Interest, as the context requires.

"Impaired" means, when used in reference to a Claim or Equity Interest, a Claim or Equity Interest that is "impaired" within the meaning of section 1124 of the Bankruptcy Code.

"Indemnification Provisions" means, collectively, each of the provisions in existence immediately prior to the Effective Date (whether in bylaws, certificates of formation or incorporation, board resolutions, employment contracts or otherwise) whereby any Debtor agrees to indemnify, reimburse, provide contribution or advance fees and expenses to or for the benefit of, defend, exculpate, or limit the liability of, any Indemnified Party.

"Indemnified Parties" means each of the Debtors' and their respective subsidiaries' respective current and former directors, officers, and managers in their respective capacities as such

"Initial Distribution Date" means the date that is as soon as practicable after the Effective Date, but no later than five (5) Business Days after the Effective Date, when, subject to the "Treatment" sections in Article III hereof, distributions under this Plan will be made to Holders of Allowed Claims and Allowed Equity Interests; provided that any applicable distributions under this Plan on account of the DIP Facility Claims and the Prepetition Debt Claims will be made to the applicable Distribution Agent on the Effective Date, and each such Distribution Agent will make, transmit or cause to be transmitted its respective distributions as soon as practicable thereafter pursuant to the terms of this Plan.

"Insurance Contract" means all insurance policies and all surety bonds and related agreements of indemnity that have been issued at any time to, or provide coverage to, any of the Debtors and all agreements, documents, or instruments relating thereto. For the avoidance of doubt, each of the D&O Liability Insurance Policies will constitute an Insurance Contract.

"Intercompany Claim" means any Claim against any of the Debtors held by another Debtor, other than an Administrative Claim.

"Intercompany Equity Interest" means direct and indirect Equity Interests in a Debtor other than Weatherford Parent held by another Debtor or an affiliate of a Debtor.

"Irish Examinership Proceedings" means the examinership process under the Companies Act 2014 of Ireland (as amended) with respect to, and commenced by, Weatherford Parent.

"Irish Scheme of Arrangement" means the scheme of arrangement with respect to Weatherford Parent submitted by the examiner of Weatherford Parent in the Irish Examinership Proceedings which is in form and substance acceptable to the Required Consenting Noteholders, and, to the extent required by the DIP Credit Agreement, the DIP Agent and the DIP Required Lenders, and on terms consistent with this Plan in all material respects.

"Lien" means a "lien" as defined in section 101(37) of the Bankruptcy Code, and, with respect to any property or asset, includes, without limitation, any mortgage, lien, pledge, charge, security interest or other encumbrance of any kind, or any other type of preferential arrangement that has the practical effect of creating a security interest, in respect of such property or asset.

"Litigation Claims" means the claims, rights of action, suits or proceedings, whether in law or in equity, whether known or unknown, that any Debtor or any Estate may hold against any Person or Entity, including, without limitation, the Causes of Action of the Debtors or their Estates, in each case solely to the extent of the Debtors' or their Estates' interest therein. A non-exclusive list of the Litigation Claims held by the Debtors as of the Effective Date will be Filed with the Plan Supplement, which will be deemed to include any derivative actions filed against any Debtor as of the Effective Date.

"Local Rules" means the Bankruptcy Local Rules for the Southern District of Texas.

"New Board" means the initial board of directors of Reorganized Parent to be put in place on and as of the Effective Date in accordance with the Restructuring Support Agreement.

"New Common Stock" means the ordinary shares in the share capital of Reorganized Parent to be issued pursuant to this Plan and the Irish Scheme of Arrangement (and subject to the Restructuring Transactions) and the Amended/New Corporate Governance Documents.

"New Management Incentive Plan" means a post-Effective Date equity incentive plan providing for the issuance from time to time, as approved by the New Board, of equity and equity-based awards with respect to New Common Stock in the aggregate and on a fully-diluted basis, of up to five percent (5%) of the New Common Stock issued or to be issued as of the Effective Date.

"New Registration Rights Agreement" means the registration rights agreement with respect to the New Common Stock, in substantially the form Filed with the Plan Supplement, which agreement will contain terms and conditions as are acceptable to the Required Consenting Noteholders in their sole discretion.

"New Warrants" means the warrants contemplated under the New Warrant Agreement.

"New Warrant Agreement" means the documents governing the New Warrants, Filed with the Plan Supplement, which will be consistent in all material respects with the New Warrant Term Sheet and reasonably acceptable to the Required Consenting Noteholders.

"New Warrant Term Sheet" means the term sheet filed with the Plan Supplement.

"Non-Debtor Releasing Parties" means, collectively: (a) the Prepetition Agents; (b) the Prepetition Lenders; (c) the Exit Senior Unsecured Notes Indenture Trustee; (d) the DIP Agent; (e) the DIP Lenders; (f) the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee; (g) the Ad Hoc Noteholder Committee and the members thereof in their capacities as such; (h) the Consenting Noteholders; (i) the Backstop Parties; (j) the Distribution Agents; (k) the Exit Facility Agent; (l) the Exit Facility Lenders; (m) the Provisional Liquidator; (n) the Committee and its current and former members in their capacities as such; (o) the Holders of Existing Common Stock and Unexercised Equity Interests that do not affirmatively opt out of the Release; and (p) the Prepetition Noteholders that are not party to the Restructuring Support Agreement and do not affirmatively opt out of the Release.

"Notice" has the meaning set forth in Article XII.K of this Plan.

"NOL Order" means the Final Order Establishing Notification Procedures and Approving Restrictions on Certain Transfers of Stock of, and Claims Against, the Debtors issued by the Bankruptcy Court and appearing on the docket at number 172.

"Other Priority Claim" means any Claim accorded priority in right of payment under section 507(a) of the Bankruptcy Code, other than a Priority Tax Claim or an Administrative Claim or a DIP Facility Claim.

"Other Secured Claim" means any Secured Claim other than an Administrative Claim, Secured Tax Claim, DIP Facility Claim, or Prepetition A&R Credit Agreement Claim.

"Overallotment Right" has the meaning set forth in Error! Reference source not found. of this Plan.

"Participating Holder" has the meaning set forth in Error! Reference source not found. of this Plan.

"Parent Subsidiary" means each direct and indirect, wholly-owned subsidiary of Weatherford Parent.

"Person" means a "person" as defined in section 101(41) of the Bankruptcy Code and also includes any natural person, corporation, general or limited partnership, limited liability company, firm, trust, association, government, governmental agency or other Entity, whether acting in an individual, fiduciary or other capacity.

"Petition Date" means the date on which the Debtors commence the Chapter 11 Cases.

"Plan Objection Deadline" means the date and time by which objections to Confirmation and Consummation of this Plan must be Filed with the Bankruptcy Court.

"Plan Schedule" means a schedule annexed to this Plan or an appendix to the Disclosure Statement (as amended, modified or otherwise supplemented from time to time), which shall, to the extent required by the DIP Credit Agreement, be in form and substance satisfactory or reasonably satisfactory, as applicable, to the DIP Agent and the DIP Required Lenders.

"Plan Securities" has the meaning set forth in Article V.K of this Plan.

"Plan Securities and Documents" has the meaning set forth in Article V.K of this Plan.

"Plan Supplement" means, collectively, the compilation of documents and forms of documents, and all exhibits, attachments, schedules, agreements, documents and instruments referred to therein, ancillary or otherwise, including, without limitation, the Exhibits and Plan Schedules, all of which shall, to the extent required by the DIP Credit Agreement, be in form and substance satisfactory or reasonably satisfactory, as applicable, to the DIP Agent and the DIP Required Lenders and are incorporated by reference into, and are an integral part of, this Plan, as all of the same may be amended, supplemented, or modified from time to time, in a manner in form and substance consistent in all respects with the Restructuring Support Agreement and to the extent required by the DIP Credit Agreement, in form and substance satisfactory or reasonably satisfactory, as applicable, to the DIP Agent and the DIP Required Lenders. The Exhibits and Plan Schedules (or substantially final forms thereof) will be Filed with the Bankruptcy Court at least seven (7) days prior to the Confirmation Hearing.

"Prepetition Agents" means, collectively, the Prepetition A&R Credit Agreement Agent, the Prepetition Revolving Credit Agreement Agent, the Prepetition Revolving Credit Agreement Collateral Agent, and the Prepetition Term Loan Administrative Agent.

"Prepetition A&R Claims" means any and all Claims arising from, under or in connection with the Prepetition A&R Credit Agreement (including, without limitation, any and all

"Indebtedness" as defined therein) or any other Prepetition Loan Document relating to the Prepetition A&R Credit Agreement.

"Prepetition A&R Credit Agreement" means that certain Amended and Restated Credit Agreement, dated as of May 9, 2016, by and among Weatherford International Ltd., Weatherford International plc, WOFS Assurance Limited, the Prepetition A&R Credit Agreement Agent, the Prepetition A&R Credit Agreement Lenders, and the Prepetition A&R Credit Agreement Issuing Banks party thereto, as amended, supplemented, or modified from time to time prior to the Petition Date.

"Prepetition A&R Credit Agreement Agent" means JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., in its capacity as administrative agent under the Prepetition A&R Credit Agreement.

"Prepetition A&R Credit Agreement Issuing Banks" means the issuing banks party to the Prepetition A&R Credit Agreement from time to time.

"Prepetition A&R Credit Agreement Lenders" means the lenders (including the swingline lender) party to the Prepetition A&R Credit Agreement from time to time and the Prepetition A&R Credit Agreement Issuing Banks.

"Prepetition Debt Claims" means, collectively, the Prepetition A&R Claims, the Prepetition Revolving Credit Claims, the Prepetition Term Loan Claims, and the Prepetition Notes Claims.

"Prepetition Debt Documents" means, collectively, the Prepetition A&R Credit Agreement, the Prepetition Revolving Credit Agreement, the Prepetition Term Loan Agreement, the Prepetition Loan Documents, the Prepetition Notes, and the Prepetition Notes Indentures.

"Prepetition Lenders" means, collectively, the Prepetition A&R Credit Agreement Lenders, the Prepetition Revolving Credit Agreement Lenders, and the Prepetition Term Loan Agreement Lenders.

"Prepetition Loan Documents" means, as applicable, the "Loan Documents" as defined in the Prepetition A&R Credit Agreement, the Prepetition Revolving Credit Agreement, and the Prepetition Term Loan Agreement, in each case as amended, supplemented, or modified from time to time prior to the Petition Date.

"Prepetition Noteholders" means, collectively, the record holders of and owners of beneficial interests in the Prepetition Notes.

"Prepetition Notes" means, collectively, (i) those certain 5.125% senior unsecured notes due 2020, issued by Weatherford International Ltd. pursuant to the applicable Prepetition Notes Indenture, in an aggregate principal amount outstanding of \$365,107,000 (the "5.125% Notes"); (ii) those certain 7.750% senior unsecured notes due 2021, issued by Weatherford International Ltd. pursuant to the applicable Prepetition Notes Indenture, in an aggregate principal amount outstanding of \$750,000,000 (the "7.750% Notes"); (iii) those certain 5.875% exchangeable senior unsecured notes due 2021, issued by Weatherford International Ltd. pursuant to the applicable Prepetition Notes Indenture, in an aggregate principal amount outstanding of \$1,265,000,000 (the

"5.875% Notes"); (iv) those certain 4.500% senior unsecured notes due 2022, issued by Weatherford International Ltd. pursuant to the applicable Prepetition Notes Indenture, in an aggregate principal amount outstanding of \$646,286,000 (the "4.500% Notes"); (v) those certain 8.250% senior unsecured notes due 2023, issued by Weatherford International Ltd. pursuant to the applicable Prepetition Notes Indenture, in an aggregate principal amount outstanding of \$750,000,000 (the "8.250% Notes"); (vi) those certain 9.875% senior unsecured notes due 2024, issued by Weatherford International Ltd. pursuant to the applicable Prepetition Notes Indenture, in an aggregate principal amount outstanding of \$790,000,000 (the "9.875% 2024 Notes"); (vii) those certain 6.500% senior unsecured notes due 2036, issued by Weatherford International Ltd. pursuant to the applicable Prepetition Notes Indenture, in an aggregate principal amount outstanding of \$453,045,000 (the "6.500% Notes"); (viii) those certain 7.000% senior unsecured notes due 2038, issued by Weatherford International Ltd. pursuant to the applicable Prepetition Notes Indenture, in an aggregate principal amount outstanding of \$461,300,000 (the "7.000%) Notes"); (ix) those certain 9.875% senior unsecured notes due 2039, issued by Weatherford International Ltd. pursuant to the applicable Prepetition Notes Indenture, in an aggregate principal amount outstanding of \$250,000,000 (the "9.875% 2039 Notes"); (x) those certain 6.750% senior unsecured notes due 2040, issued by Weatherford International Ltd. pursuant to the applicable Prepetition Notes Indenture, in an aggregate principal amount outstanding of \$462,601,000 (the "6.750% Notes"); (xi) those certain 5.950% senior unsecured notes due 2042, issued by Weatherford International Ltd. pursuant to the applicable Prepetition Notes Indenture, in an aggregate principal amount outstanding of \$374,961,000 (the "5.950% Notes"); (xii) those certain 9.875% senior unsecured notes due 2025, issued by Weatherford International LLC pursuant to the applicable Prepetition Notes Indenture, in an aggregate principal amount outstanding of \$600,000,000 (the "9.875% 2025 Notes"); and (xiii) those certain 6.800% senior unsecured notes due 2037, issued by Weatherford International LLC pursuant to the applicable Prepetition Notes Indenture, in an aggregate principal amount outstanding of \$258,767,000 (the "6.800% Notes").

"Prepetition Notes Claims" means any and all Claims arising from, under, or in connection with the Prepetition Notes, the Prepetition Notes Indentures or any document or agreement related to the Prepetition Notes or the Prepetition Notes Indentures.

"Prepetition Notes Indentures" means, collectively, (i) that certain Indenture, dated as of October 1, 2003, by and between Weatherford International Ltd., as issuer, the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee, as indenture trustee, and certain of the Debtors, as guarantors, governing the 5.125% Notes, the 7.750% Notes, the 5.875% Notes, the 4.500% Notes, the 8.250% Notes, the 9.875% 2024 Notes, the 6.500% Notes, the 7.00% Notes, the 9.875% 2039 Notes, the 6.750% Notes, and the 5.950% Notes, and (ii) that certain Indenture, dated as of June 18, 2007, by and between Weatherford International LLC, as issuer, the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee, as indenture trustee, and certain of the Debtors, as guarantors, governing the 9.875% 2025 Notes and the 6.800% Notes, and with respect to each such Indenture, as amended, restated, modified, supplemented, or replaced from time to time prior to the Petition Date.

"Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee" means Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas, solely in its capacity as indenture trustee and in each other capacity for which it serves under or in connection with the Prepetition Notes Indentures; provided that if the context requires only certain of the foregoing capacities, then only in such capacity(ies).

"Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee Charging Lien" means any Lien or other priority in payment in favor of the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee against distributions to be made to Holders of Allowed Prepetition Notes Claims for payment of any Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee Fees and Expenses, which Lien or other priority in payment arose prior to the Effective Date and pursuant to the Prepetition Notes Indentures.

"Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee Fees and Expenses" means the reasonable and documented compensation, fees, expenses, disbursements and indemnity claims incurred by the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee, including without limitation, attorneys' and agents' fees, expenses and disbursements, incurred by the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee, whether prior to or after the Petition Date and whether prior to or after consummation of this Plan, in each case to the extent payable or reimbursable under the Prepetition Notes Indentures. For the avoidance of doubt, the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee Fees and Expenses shall also include those fees and expenses incurred in connection with any foreign insolvency proceeding.

"Prepetition Revolving Credit Agreement" means that certain 364-Day Revolving Credit Agreement, dated as of August 16, 2018, by and among Weatherford International Ltd., the other borrowers party thereto, Weatherford International plc, the Prepetition Revolving Credit Agreement Agent, the Prepetition Revolving Credit Agreement Lenders, and the Prepetition Revolving Credit Agreement Collateral Agent, as amended, supplemented, or modified from time to time prior to the Petition Date.

"Prepetition Revolving Credit Agreement Agent" means JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., in its capacity as administrative agent under the Prepetition Revolving Credit Agreement.

"Prepetition Revolving Credit Agreement Collateral Agent" means Morgan Stanley Senior Funding, Inc., in its capacity as collateral agent under the Prepetition Revolving Credit Agreement.

"Prepetition Revolving Credit Claims" means any and all Claims arising from, under or in connection with the Prepetition Revolving Credit Agreement (including, without limitation, any and all "Indebtedness" as defined therein) or any other Prepetition Loan Document relating to the Prepetition Revolving Credit Agreement.

"Prepetition Revolving Credit Agreement Lenders" means the lenders (including the swingline lender) party to the Prepetition Revolving Credit Agreement from time to time.

"Prepetition Revolving Credit Agreement Liens" means the Liens securing the payment of the Prepetition Revolving Credit Claims.

"Prepetition Term Loan Agreement" means that certain Term Loan Agreement, dated as of May 4, 2016, by and among Weatherford International Ltd., Weatherford International plc, the Prepetition Term Loan Agent and the Prepetition Term Loan Lenders, as amended, supplemented, or modified from time to time prior to the Petition Date.

"Prepetition Term Loan Administrative Agent" means JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., in its capacity as administrative agent under the Prepetition Term Loan Agreement.

"Prepetition Term Loan Claims" means any and all Claims arising from, under or in connection with the Prepetition Term Loan Agreement (including, without limitation, any and all "Indebtedness" as defined therein) or any other Prepetition Loan Document relating to the Prepetition Term Loan Agreement.

"Prepetition Term Loan Agreement Lenders" means the lenders party to the Prepetition Term Loan Agreement from time to time.

"Prepetition Term Loan Agreement Liens" means the Liens securing the payment of the Prepetition Term Loan Claims.

"Priority Tax Claim" means any Claim of a Governmental Unit of the kind specified in section 507(a)(8) of the Bankruptcy Code.

"Pro Rata" means the proportion that an Allowed Claim or Allowed Equity Interest in a particular class bears to the aggregate amount of Allowed Claims or Allowed Equity Interests in that Class.

"Professional" means any Person or Entity retained by the Debtors or the Committee in the Chapter 11 Cases pursuant to section 327, 328, 363, and/or 1103 of the Bankruptcy Code (other than an ordinary course professional).

"Professional Fee Claim" means a Claim for Accrued Professional Compensation under sections 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, or 503 of the Bankruptcy Code.

"Professional Fee Claim Reserve" means the reserve established and maintained by the Reorganized Debtors from Cash on hand existing immediately prior to the Effective Date to pay in full in Cash the Professional Fee Claims incurred on or prior to the Effective Date, as and when such claims become Allowed.

"Provisional Liquidator" means John C. McKenna, as provisional liquidator of Weatherford Bermuda, or any replacement or additional provisional liquidator appointed by the Supreme Court of Bermuda in proceedings 2019: No.270.

"Related Persons" means, with respect to any Person, such Person's predecessors, successors, assigns and present and former Affiliates (whether by operation of law or otherwise) and subsidiaries, and each of their respective current and former officers, directors, principals, employees, shareholders, members (including ex officio members and managing members), managers, managed accounts or funds, management companies, fund advisors, advisory or subcommittee board members, partners, agents, financial advisors, attorneys, accountants, investment bankers, investment advisors, consultants, representatives, and other professionals, in each case acting in such capacity at any time on or after the date of the Restructuring Support Agreement, and any Person claiming by or through any of them, including such Related Persons' respective heirs, executors, estates, servants, and nominees; provided, however, that no insurer of any Debtor will constitute a Related Person.

"Release" means the release given by the Releasing Parties to the Released Parties as set forth in Article X.B hereof.

"Released Parties" means, collectively: (a) the Debtors; (b) the Reorganized Debtors; (c) the Prepetition Agents; (d) the Prepetition Lenders; (e) the Exit Senior Unsecured Notes Indenture Trustee; (f) the DIP Agent; (g) the DIP Lenders; (h) the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee; (i) the Ad Hoc Noteholder Committee and the members thereof in their capacities as such; (j) the Consenting Noteholders; (k) the Backstop Parties; (l) the Distribution Agents; (m) the Exit Facility Lenders; (n) the Exit Facility Agent; (o) the Provisional Liquidator; (p) the Committee and its current and former members in their capacities as such; and (q) with respect to each of the foregoing Entities in clauses (a) through (p), each such Entity's Related Persons, in each case solely in their capacity as such.

"Releasing Party" has the meaning set forth in Article X.B hereof.

"Reorganization Steps Overview" means the description of the steps of the Restructuring Transactions, substantially in the form Filed with the Plan Supplement in form and substance reasonably acceptable to the Debtors and the Required Consenting Noteholders and, to the extent required by the DIP Credit Agreement, in form and substance satisfactory or reasonably satisfactory, as applicable, to the DIP Agent and the DIP Required Lenders.

"Reorganized Debtors" means, subject to the Restructuring Transactions, the Debtors as reorganized pursuant to this Plan on or after the Effective Date, and their respective successors.

"Reorganized Parent" means, subject to the Restructuring Transactions, Weatherford International plc, an Irish public limited company, as reorganized pursuant to this Plan on the Effective Date, its successor, or a newly-formed entity that issues the New Common Stock under this Plan.

"Reorganized Weatherford Bermuda" means, subject to the Restructuring Transactions, Weatherford International Ltd., a Bermuda exempted company, as reorganized pursuant to this Plan on the Effective Date, and its successors.

"Reorganized Weatherford Delaware" means, subject to the Restructuring Transactions, Weatherford International, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company, as reorganized pursuant to this Plan on the Effective Date, and its successors.

"Required Consenting Noteholders" means the "Required Consenting Noteholders" under, and as defined in, the Restructuring Support Agreement.

"Restructuring Documents" means, collectively, the documents and agreements (and the exhibits, schedules, annexes and supplements thereto) necessary to implement, or entered into in connection with, this Plan, including, without limitation, the Plan Supplement, the Exhibits, the Plan Schedules, the Amended/New Corporate Governance Documents, the Exit Facility Loan Documents, the Exit Senior Unsecured Notes Documents, the New Warrant Agreement, and the Plan Securities and Documents, which documents and agreements shall, to the extent required by the DIP Credit Agreement, be in form and substance satisfactory or reasonably satisfactory, as applicable, to the DIP Agent and the DIP Required Lenders.

"Restructuring Support Agreement" means that certain Restructuring Support Agreement, dated as of May 10, 2019, by and among the Debtors and the Consenting Noteholders (as amended, supplemented or modified from time to time).

"Restructuring Term Sheet" means the term sheet attached as Exhibit A to the Restructuring Support Agreement, a copy of which is attached to the Disclosure Statement as Exhibit B (as amended, supplemented, or modified from time to time).

"Restructuring Transaction" has the meaning ascribed thereto in Article V.A of this Plan.

"Rights Offering" means that certain rights offering pursuant to which each holder of Prepetition Notes is entitled to receive Subscription Rights to acquire the Rights Offering Notes on a Pro Rata basis in accordance with the Rights Offering Procedures and which will be backstopped by the Backstop Parties pursuant to the Backstop Commitment Agreement.

"Rights Offering Notes" means up to \$1,600,000,000 of the Exit Senior Unsecured Notes, which shall be issued for cash pursuant to the Rights Offering and the Backstop Commitment Agreement; provided that the principal amount of the Rights Offering Notes will be reduced dollar for dollar based on the amount of the Exit Facility commitments in excess of \$650,000,000 as of the Effective Date, but, in any case, to no less than \$1,500,000,000.

"Rights Offering Procedures" means the procedures for the implementation of the Rights Offering as described in the Disclosure Statement, in form and substance acceptable to the Required Consenting Noteholders (as amended, supplemented, or modified from time to time).

"Schedules" means the schedules of assets and liabilities, schedules of Executory Contracts, and statement of financial affairs Filed by the Debtors pursuant to section 521 of the Bankruptcy Code and the applicable Bankruptcy Rules, as such Schedules may be amended, modified, or supplemented from time to time, if any such Schedules are required to be Filed by order of the Bankruptcy Court.

"SEC" means the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission.

"Secured Claim" means a Claim that is secured by a Lien on property in which any of the Debtors' Estates have an interest or that is subject to setoff under section 553 of the Bankruptcy Code, to the extent of the value of the Claim holder's interest in such Estate's interest in such property or to the extent of the amount subject to setoff, as applicable, as determined pursuant to section 506(a) of the Bankruptcy Code or, in the case of setoff, pursuant to section 553 of the Bankruptcy Code.

"Secured Tax Claim" means any Secured Claim which, absent its secured status, would be entitled to priority in right of payment under section 507(a)(8) of the Bankruptcy Code.

"Securities Act" means the Securities Act of 1933, 15 U.S.C. §§ 77c-77aa, as now in effect or hereafter amended, and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

"Stamp or Similar Tax" means any stamp tax, recording tax, conveyance fee, intangible or similar tax, mortgage tax, personal or real property tax, real estate transfer tax, sales tax, use tax,

transaction privilege tax (including, without limitation, such taxes on prime contracting and owner-builder sales), privilege taxes (including, without limitation, privilege taxes on construction contracting with regard to speculative builders and owner builders), and other similar taxes or fees imposed or assessed by any Governmental Unit.

"Subscription Rights" means the subscription rights to acquire Rights Offering Notes in accordance with the Rights Offering Procedures.

"Subsequent Distribution" means any distribution of property under this Plan to Holders of Allowed Claims or Allowed Equity Interests other than the initial distribution given to such Holders on the Initial Distribution Date.

"Subsequent Distribution Date" means the last Business Day of the month following the end of each calendar quarter after the Effective Date; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that if the Effective Date is within thirty (30) days of the end of a calendar quarter, then the first Subsequent Distribution Date will be the last Business Day of the month following the end of the first (1st) calendar quarter after the calendar quarter in which the Effective Date falls.

"Takeback Notes" means \$500,000,000 of Exit Senior Unsecured Notes which shall be issued to Holders of Allowed Prepetition Notes Claims pursuant to the Plan.

"Third Party Release" has the meaning set forth in Article X.B hereof.

"Unexercised Equity Interests" means any and all unexercised options, performance, stock units, restricted stock units, restricted stock awards, warrants, calls, rights, puts, awards, commitments, or any other agreements, arrangements, or commitments of any character, kind, or nature to acquire, exchange for, or convert into an Equity Interest, as in existence immediately prior to the Effective Date.

"Unexpired Lease" means a lease to which any Debtor is a party that is subject to assumption or rejection under section 365 of the Bankruptcy Code.

"*Unimpaired*" means, with respect to a Class of Claims or Equity Interests, a Claim or an Equity Interest that is "unimpaired" within the meaning of section 1124 of the Bankruptcy Code.

"Unused Cash Reserve Amount" means the remaining Cash, if any, in the Professional Fee Claim Reserve after all obligations and liabilities for which such reserve was established are paid, satisfied, and discharged in full in Cash or are disallowed by Final Order in accordance with this Plan.

"Voting and Claims Agent" means Prime Clerk LLC, in its capacity as solicitation, notice, claims and balloting agent for the Debtors.

"Voting Classes" means Classes 7 and 10.

"Voting Deadline" means the date and time by which all Ballots must be received by the Voting and Claims Agent in accordance with the Disclosure Statement.

"Voting Record Date" means the date for determining which Holders of Claims and Equity Interests in the Voting Classes are entitled, as applicable, to receive the Disclosure Statement and to vote to accept or reject this Plan.

"Weatherford Bermuda" means Weatherford International Ltd, a Bermuda company, as debtor-in-possession in these Chapter 11 Cases.

"Weatherford Delaware" means Weatherford International, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company, as debtor-in-possession in these Chapter 11 Cases.

"Weatherford Parent" means Weatherford International plc, an Irish public limited company, as debtor-in-possession in these Chapter 11 Cases.

ARTICLE II.

ADMINISTRATIVE, DIP FACILITY, AND PRIORITY TAX CLAIMS

A. Administrative Claims

Subject to <u>sub-paragraph 1</u> below, on the later of the Effective Date or the date on which an Administrative Claim becomes an Allowed Administrative Claim, or, in each such case, as soon as practicable thereafter, each Holder of an Allowed Administrative Claim (other than an Allowed Professional Fee Claim) will receive, in full satisfaction, settlement, discharge and release of, and in exchange for, such Claim either (i) Cash equal to the amount of such Allowed Administrative Claim; or (ii) such other less favorable treatment as to which the Debtors (with the consent of the Required Consenting Noteholders in the manner set forth in the Restructuring Support Agreement and in consultation with the Committee) or Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, and the Holder of such Allowed Administrative Claim will have agreed upon in writing; *provided*, *however*, Administrative Claims incurred by any Debtor in the ordinary course of business may be paid in the ordinary course of business following the occurrence of the Effective Date by the applicable Reorganized Debtor in accordance with such applicable terms and conditions relating thereto without further notice to or order of the Bankruptcy Court.

1. Professional Fee Claims

Professionals or other Entities asserting a Professional Fee Claim for services rendered before the Effective Date must File and serve on the Reorganized Debtors and such other Entities who are designated in the Confirmation Order an application for final allowance of such Professional Fee Claim no later than forty-five days after the Effective Date; <u>provided</u> that the Reorganized Debtors will pay Professionals in the ordinary course of business for any work performed after the Effective Date, including those reasonable and documented fees and expenses incurred by Professionals in connection with the implementation and consummation of this Plan, in each case without further application or notice to or order of the Bankruptcy Court.

Objections to any Professional Fee Claim must be Filed and served on the Reorganized Debtors, the Committee, and the requesting party by no later than thirty (30) days after the Filing of the applicable final request for payment of the Professional Fee Claim. Each Holder of an Allowed Professional Fee Claim will be paid in full in Cash by the Reorganized Debtors, including from the Professional Fee Claim Reserve, within five (5) Business Days after entry of the order

approving such Allowed Professional Fee Claim. The Reorganized Debtors will not commingle any funds contained in the Professional Fee Claim Reserve and will use such funds to pay only the Professional Fee Claims, as and when allowed by order of the Bankruptcy Court. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in this Plan, the failure of the Professional Fee Claim Reserve to satisfy in full the Professional Fee Claims will not, in any way, operate or be construed as a cap or limitation on the amount of Professional Fee Claims due and payable by the Reorganized Debtors. The Professional Fee Claim Reserve will be maintained in trust for the Professionals and will not be considered property of the Debtors' Estates; provided that the Reorganized Debtors will have a reversionary interest in the Unused Cash Reserve Amount. To the extent that funds held in the Professional Fee Claim Reserve do not or are unable to satisfy the full amount of the Allowed Professional Fee Claims, such Professionals will have an Allowed Administrative Claim for any such deficiency, which will be satisfied in full in Cash in accordance with Article II.A of this Plan.

B. DIP Facility Claims

The DIP Facility Claims will be Allowed in the full amount due and owing under the DIP Financing Documents, including all principal, accrued and accruing postpetition interest, costs, fees and expenses. On the Effective Date, the Allowed DIP Facility Claims will, in full satisfaction, settlement, discharge and release of, and in exchange for such the DIP Facility Claims, be indefeasibly paid in full in Cash from the proceeds of the Exit Facility (or, in the case of "Swap Obligations" and "Banking Services Obligations" be treated as the applicable Holder thereof shall otherwise agree), any unused commitments under the Revolving Credit Facility (as defined in the DIP Credit Agreement) shall be deemed terminated, and the DIP Facility Liens will be deemed discharged, released, and terminated for all purposes without further action of or by any Person or Entity; provided that the DIP Contingent Obligations shall survive the Effective Date on an unsecured basis and shall be paid by the Reorganized Debtors as and when due.

C. Priority Tax Claims

Subject to Article VIII hereof, on, or as soon as reasonably practicable after, the later of (i) the Initial Distribution Date if such Priority Tax Claim is an Allowed Priority Tax Claim as of the Effective Date or (ii) the next Subsequent Distribution Date after the date on which such Priority Tax Claim becomes an Allowed Priority Tax Claim, each Holder of an Allowed Priority Tax Claim will receive in full satisfaction, settlement, discharge and release of, and in exchange for, such Allowed Priority Tax Claim, at the election of the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors, as applicable: (A) Cash equal to the amount of such Allowed Priority Tax Claim; (B) such other less favorable treatment as to which the Debtors (with the consent of the Required Consenting Noteholders in the manner set forth in the Restructuring Support Agreement) or Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, and the Holder of such Allowed Priority Tax Claim have agreed upon in writing; (C) such other treatment such that it will not be Impaired pursuant to section 1124 of the Bankruptcy Code; or (D) pursuant to and in accordance with sections 1129(a)(9)(C) and 1129(a)(9)(D) of the Bankruptcy Code, Cash in an aggregate amount of such Allowed Priority Tax Claim payable in regular installment payments over a period ending not more than five (5) years after the Petition Date, plus simple interest at the rate required by applicable non-bankruptcy law on any outstanding balance from the Effective Date, or such lesser rate as is agreed to in writing by a particular taxing authority and the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, pursuant to section 1129(a)(9)(C) of the Bankruptcy Code; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, Priority Tax Claims incurred by any Debtor in the ordinary course of business may be paid in the ordinary course of business following the occurrence of the Effective Date by the applicable Reorganized Debtor in accordance with such applicable terms and conditions relating thereto without further notice to or order of the Bankruptcy Court. Any installment payments to be made under clause (C) or (D) above will be made in equal quarterly Cash payments beginning on the first applicable Subsequent Distribution Date, and continuing on each Subsequent Distribution Date thereafter until payment in full of the applicable Allowed Priority Tax Claim.

ARTICLE III.

CLASSIFICATION AND TREATMENT OF CLASSIFIED CLAIMS AND EQUITY INTERESTS

A. Summary

This Plan constitutes a separate plan of reorganization for each Debtor. All Claims and Equity Interests, except Administrative Claims, DIP Facility Claims, and Priority Tax Claims, are placed in the Classes set forth below. For all purposes under this Plan, each Class will contain sub-Classes for each of the Debtors (*i.e.*, there will be twelve (12) Classes for each Debtor); <u>provided</u>, that any Class that is vacant as to a particular Debtor will be treated in accordance with <u>Article III.D</u> below.

The categories of Claims and Equity Interests listed below classify Claims and Equity Interests for all purposes, including, without limitation, for voting, confirmation and distribution pursuant hereto and pursuant to sections 1122 and 1123(a)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code. This Plan deems a Claim or Equity Interest to be classified in a particular Class only to the extent that the Claim or Equity Interest qualifies within the description of that Class and will be deemed classified in a different Class to the extent that any remaining portion of such Claim or Equity Interest qualifies within the description of such different Class. A Claim or Equity Interest is in a particular Class only to the extent that any such Claim or Equity Interest is Allowed in that Class and has not been paid, released, disallowed or otherwise settled prior to the Effective Date.

Summary of Classification and Treatment of Classified Claims and Equity Interests

Class	Claim/Equity Interest	Status	Voting Rights
1.	Other Priority Claims	Unimpaired	Deemed to Accept
2.	Other Secured Claims	Unimpaired	Deemed to Accept
3.	Secured Tax Claims	Unimpaired	Deemed to Accept
4.	Prepetition Revolving Credit Claims	Unimpaired	Deemed to Accept
5.	Prepetition Term Loan Claims	Unimpaired	Deemed to Accept

Class	Claim/Equity Interest	Status	Voting Rights
6.	Prepetition A&R Claims	Unimpaired	Deemed to Accept
7.	Prepetition Notes Claims	Impaired	Entitled to Vote
8.	General Unsecured Claims	Unimpaired	Deemed to Accept
9.	Intercompany Claims	Unimpaired	Deemed to Accept
10.	Existing Common Stock ²	Impaired	Entitled to Vote
11.	Intercompany Equity Interests	Unimpaired	Deemed to Accept
12.	Unexercised Equity Interests	Impaired	Deemed to Reject

B. Classification and Treatment of Claims and Equity Interests

1. Class 1 - Other Priority Claims

- (a) Classification: Class 1 consists of the Other Priority Claims.
- Treatment: Subject to Article VIII hereof, on, or as soon as reasonably (b) practicable after, the later of (i) the Initial Distribution Date if such Class 1 Claim is an Allowed Class 1 Claim as of the Effective Date or (ii) the next Subsequent Distribution Date after the date on which such Class 1 Claim becomes an Allowed Class 1 Claim, each Holder of an Allowed Class 1 Claim will receive in full satisfaction, settlement, discharge and release of, and in exchange for, such Allowed Class 1 Claim, at the election of the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors, as applicable (with the consent of the Required Consenting Noteholders in the manner set forth in the Restructuring Support Agreement): (A) Cash equal to the amount of such Allowed Class 1 Claim; (B) such other less favorable treatment as to which the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, and the Holder of such Allowed Class 1 Claim will have agreed upon in writing; or (C) such other treatment such that it will not be impaired pursuant to section 1124 of the Bankruptcy Code; provided, however, Class 1 Claims incurred by any Debtor in the ordinary course of business may be paid in the ordinary course of business following the occurrence of the Effective Date by the applicable Reorganized Debtor in accordance with the terms and conditions of any agreements relating thereto without further notice to or order of the Bankruptcy Court.

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² This class excludes the Unexercised Equity Interests that are classified in Class 12.

(c) Voting: Class 1 is an Unimpaired Class, and the Holders of Claims in Class 1 are conclusively deemed to have accepted this Plan pursuant to section 1126(f) of the Bankruptcy Code. Therefore, the Holders of Claims in Class 1 are not entitled to vote to accept or reject this Plan.

2. Class 2 - Other Secured Claims

- (a) Classification: Class 2 consists of the Other Secured Claims. Class 2 consists of separate subclasses for each Other Secured Claim.
- (b) Treatment: Subject to Article VIII hereof, on, or as soon as reasonably practicable after, the later of (i) the Initial Distribution Date if such Class 2 Claim is an Allowed Class 2 Claim as of the Effective Date or (ii) the next Subsequent Distribution Date after the date on which such Class 2 Claim becomes an Allowed Class 2 Claim, each Holder of an Allowed Class 2 Claim will receive in full satisfaction, settlement, discharge and release of, and in exchange for, such Allowed Class 2 Claim, at the election of the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors, as applicable (with the consent of the Required Consenting Noteholders in the manner set forth in the Restructuring Support Agreement): (A) Cash equal to the amount of such Allowed Class 2 Claim; (B) such other less favorable treatment as to which the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, and the Holder of such Allowed Class 2 Claim will have agreed upon in writing; (C) the Collateral securing such Allowed Class 2 Claim; or (D) such other treatment such that it will not be impaired pursuant to section 1124 of the Bankruptcy Code; provided, however, Class 2 Claims incurred by any Debtor in the ordinary course of business may be paid in the ordinary course of business following the occurrence of the Effective Date by the applicable Reorganized Debtor in accordance with the terms and conditions of any agreements relating thereto without further notice to or order of the Bankruptcy Court.
- (c) Voting: Class 2 is an Unimpaired Class, and the Holders of Claims in Class 2 are conclusively deemed to have accepted this Plan pursuant to section 1126(f) of the Bankruptcy Code. Therefore, the Holders of Claims in Class 2 are not entitled to vote to accept or reject this Plan.

3. Class 3 - Secured Tax Claims

- (a) Classification: Class 3 consists of the Secured Tax Claims.
- (b) Treatment: Subject to Article VIII hereof, on, or as soon as reasonably practicable after, the later of (i) the Initial Distribution Date if such Class 3 Claim is an Allowed Class 3 Claim as of the Effective Date or (ii) the next Subsequent Distribution Date after the date on which such Class 3 Claim becomes an Allowed Class 3 Claim, each Holder of an Allowed Class 3 Claim will receive in full satisfaction, settlement, discharge and release of, and in exchange for, such Allowed Class 3 Claim, at the election of the

Debtors or Reorganized Debtors, as applicable (with the consent of the Required Consenting Noteholders in the manner set forth in the Restructuring Support Agreement): (A) Cash equal to the amount of such Allowed Class 3 Claim; (B) such other less favorable treatment as to which the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, and the Holder of such Allowed Class 3 Claim will have agreed upon in writing; (C) the Collateral securing such Allowed Class 3 Claim; (D) such other treatment such that it will not be impaired pursuant to section 1124 of the Bankruptcy Code; or (E) pursuant to and in accordance with sections 1129(a)(9)(C) and 1129(a)(9)(D) of the Bankruptcy Code, Cash in an aggregate amount of such Allowed Class 3 Claim payable in regular installment payments over a period ending not more than five (5) years after the Petition Date, plus simple interest at the rate required by applicable non-bankruptcy law on any outstanding balance from the Effective Date, or such lesser rate as is agreed to in writing by a particular taxing authority and the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, pursuant to section 1129(a)(9)(C) of the Bankruptcy Code; provided, however, Class 3 Claims incurred by any Debtor in the ordinary course of business may be paid in the ordinary course of business following the occurrence of the Effective Date by the applicable Reorganized Debtor in accordance with such applicable terms and conditions relating thereto without further notice to or order of the Bankruptcy Court. Any installment payments to be made under clause (D) or (E) above will be made in equal quarterly Cash payments beginning on the first applicable Subsequent Distribution Date, and continuing on each Subsequent Distribution Date thereafter until payment in full of the applicable Allowed Class 3 Claim.

(c) Voting: Class 3 is an Unimpaired Class, and the Holders of Claims in Class 3 will be conclusively deemed to have accepted this Plan pursuant to section 1126(f) of the Bankruptcy Code. Therefore, Holders of Claims in Class 3 are not entitled to vote to accept or reject this Plan.

4. Class 4 – Prepetition Revolving Credit Claims

- (a) Classification: Class 4 consists of the Prepetition Revolving Credit Claims.
- (b) Allowance: The Prepetition Revolving Credit Claims are deemed Allowed in the aggregate principal amount of \$316,742,581 plus accrued and unpaid interest thereon.
- (c) Treatment: To the extent not paid in full in Cash prior to the Effective Date, on the Effective Date, the Allowed Prepetition Revolving Credit Claims will, in full satisfaction, settlement, discharge and release of, and in exchange for, such Claims, be indefeasibly paid in full in Cash and the Prepetition Revolving Credit Agreement Liens will be deemed discharged, released, and terminated for all purposes without further action of or by any Person or Entity.

(d) *Voting:* Class 4 is an Unimpaired Class, and the Holders of Claims in Class 4 will be conclusively deemed to have accepted this Plan pursuant to section 1126(f) of the Bankruptcy Code. Therefore, Holders of Claims in Class 4 are not entitled to vote to accept or reject this Plan.

5. Class 5 – Prepetition Term Loan Claims

- (a) Classification: Class 5 consists of the Prepetition Term Loan Claims.
- (b) Allowance: The Prepetition Term Loans Claims are deemed Allowed in the aggregate principal amount of \$297,500,000 plus accrued and unpaid interest thereon.
- (c) Treatment: To the extent not paid in full in Cash prior to the Effective Date, on the Effective Date, the Allowed Prepetition Term Loan Claims will, in full satisfaction, settlement, discharge and release of, and in exchange for, such Claims, be indefeasibly paid in full in Cash and the Prepetition Term Loan Agreement Liens will be deemed discharged, released, and terminated for all purposes without further action of or by any Person or Entity.
- (d) Voting: Class 5 is an Unimpaired Class, and the Holders of Claims in Class 5 will be conclusively deemed to have accepted this Plan pursuant to section 1126(f) of the Bankruptcy Code. Therefore, Holders of Claims in Class 5 are not entitled to vote to accept or reject this Plan.

6. Class 6 – Prepetition A&R Claims

- (a) Classification: Class 6 consists of the Prepetition A&R Claims.
- (b) Allowance: The Prepetition A&R Claims are deemed Allowed in the aggregate principal amount of \$305,000,000 plus accrued and unpaid interest and fees (at the default rate set forth in the Prepetition A&R Credit Agreement or related loan documents) plus outstanding letters of credit in an amount of \$166,000,000.
- (c) Treatment: On the Effective Date, the Allowed Prepetition A&R Claims will, in full satisfaction, settlement, discharge and release of, and in exchange for, such Claims, be indefeasibly paid in full in Cash. Any letters of credit issued and outstanding as of the Effective Date under the Prepetition A&R Credit Agreement will either be cash collateralized, replaced or receive such other treatment as may be acceptable to the Debtors, the Prepetition A&R Credit Agreement Agent, the applicable Prepetition A&R Credit Agreement Issuing Bank, and the Required Consenting Noteholders.
- (d) *Voting:* Class 6 is an Unimpaired Class, and the Holders of Claims in Class 6 will be conclusively deemed to have accepted this Plan pursuant to section

1126(f) of the Bankruptcy Code. Therefore, Holders of Claims in Class 6 are not entitled to vote to accept or reject this Plan.

7. Class 7 - Prepetition Notes Claims

- (a) Classification: Class 7 consists of the Prepetition Notes Claims.
- (b) Allowance: The Prepetition Notes Claims are deemed Allowed in the aggregate principal amount of \$7,427,067,000, plus accrued and unpaid interest thereon, consisting of:
 - (i) \$365,107,000 in aggregate principal amount, plus accrued and unpaid interest on account of the 5.125% Notes;
 - (ii) \$750,000,000 in aggregate principal amount, plus accrued and unpaid interest on account of the 7.750% Notes;
 - (iii) \$1,265,000,000 in aggregate principal amount, plus accrued and unpaid interest on account of the 5.875% Notes;
 - (iv) \$646,286,000 in aggregate principal amount, plus accrued and unpaid interest on account of the 4.500% Notes;
 - (v) \$750,000,000 in aggregate principal amount, plus accrued and unpaid interest on account of the 8.250% Notes;
 - (vi) \$790,000,000 in aggregate principal amount, plus accrued and unpaid interest on account of the 9.875% 2024 Notes;
 - (vii) \$453,045,000 in aggregate principal amount, plus accrued and unpaid interest on account of the 6.500% Notes;
 - (viii) \$461,300,000 in aggregate principal amount, plus accrued and unpaid interest on account of the 7.000% Notes;
 - (ix) \$250,000,000 in aggregate principal amount, plus accrued and unpaid interest on account of the 9.875% 2039 Notes;
 - (x) \$462,601,000 in aggregate principal amount, plus accrued and unpaid interest on account of the 6.750% Notes;
 - (xi) \$374,961,000 in aggregate principal amount, plus accrued and unpaid interest on account of the 5.950% Notes;
 - (xii) \$600,000,000 in aggregate principal amount, plus accrued and unpaid interest on account of the 9.875% 2025 Notes; and
 - (xiii) \$258,767,000 in aggregate principal amount, plus accrued and unpaid interest on account of the 6.8000% Notes.

- (c) Treatment: On the Initial Distribution Date, each Holder of an Allowed Prepetition Notes Claim will receive, in full satisfaction, settlement, discharge and release of, and in exchange for, such Claim, its Pro Rata share of (i) 99% of the New Common Stock, subject to dilution on account of equity issued pursuant to the New Management Incentive Plan and the New Common Stock issuable pursuant to the New Warrants and (ii) the Takeback Notes. In addition, each of such Holders will receive Subscription Rights to purchase its Pro Rata share of the Rights Offering Notes pursuant to the Rights Offering and in accordance with the applicable Rights Offerings Procedures.
- (d) *Voting:* Class 7 is Impaired, and Holders of Claims in Class 7 are entitled to vote to accept or reject this Plan.

8. Class 8 – General Unsecured Claims

- (a) Classification: Class 8 consists of the General Unsecured Claims.
- Treatment: The legal, equitable, and contractual rights of the holders of (b) General Unsecured Claims are unaltered by this Plan. Except to the extent that a holder of a General Unsecured Claim agrees to a different treatment, on the later of (i) the Effective Date or (ii) the date such General Unsecured Claim becomes due and payable, each Holder of an Allowed General Unsecured Claim shall receive Cash in an amount equal to such Allowed General Unsecured Claim, or such other treatment that will render such Claim Unimpaired, including but not limited to, Reinstatement of such Allowed General Unsecured Claim pursuant to section 1124 of the Bankruptcy Code. For the avoidance of doubt, and notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, no provision of this Plan shall diminish or modify any applicable non-bankruptcy legal, equitable, and/or contractual rights of any Holder of an Allowed General Unsecured Claim to receive payment on account of such Claims in the ordinary course of business and in accordance with applicable non-bankruptcy law as if the Chapter 11 Cases had not been commenced.
- (c) Voting: Class 8 is an Unimpaired Class, and the Holders of Claims in Class 8 are conclusively deemed to have accepted this Plan pursuant to section 1126(f) of the Bankruptcy Code. Therefore, the Holders of Claims in Class 8 are not entitled to vote to accept or reject this Plan.

9. Class 9 – Intercompany Claims

- (a) Classification: Class 9 consists of the Intercompany Claims.
- (b) *Treatment:* Subject to the Restructuring Transactions, the Intercompany Claims will be adjusted, reinstated, compromised, or cancelled to the extent determined appropriate by the Debtors, with the consent of the Required Consenting Noteholders.

(c) Voting: Class 9 is an Unimpaired Class and the Holders of Claims in Class 9 are conclusively deemed to have accepted this Plan pursuant to section 1126(f) of the Bankruptcy Code. Therefore, the Holders of Claims in Class 9 are not entitled to vote to accept or reject this Plan.

10. Class 10 – Existing Common Stock

- (a) Classification: Class 10 consists of the Existing Common Stock.³
- (b) Treatment: On the Effective Date, the Existing Common Stock will be cancelled without further notice to, approval of or action by any Entity. On the Initial Distribution Date, each Holder of Existing Common Stock will receive its Pro Rata share of (i) 1.0% of the New Common Stock, subject to dilution on account of the equity issued pursuant to the New Management Incentive Plan and the New Common Stock issuable pursuant to the New Warrants and (ii) the New Warrants.

The foregoing is offered solely for settlement purposes under Rule 408 of the Federal Rules of Evidence and analogous state law, and such settlement is conditioned on the Bankruptcy Court confirming this Plan and the occurrence of the Effective Date.

(c) *Voting*: Class 10 is Impaired, and the Holders of Existing Common Stock in Class 10 are entitled to vote to accept or reject this Plan.

11. Class 11 – Intercompany Equity Interests

- (a) Classification: Class 11 consists of Intercompany Equity Interests.
- (b) *Treatment*: Subject to the Restructuring Transactions and the applicable law of the Debtors' jurisdiction of incorporation, the Intercompany Equity Interests will be reinstated for administrative convenience or cancelled as determined by the Debtors, with the reasonable consent of the Required Consenting Noteholders.
- (c) Voting: Class 11 is an Unimpaired Class and the Holders of Claims in Class 11 are conclusively deemed to have accepted this Plan pursuant to section 1126(f) of the Bankruptcy Code. Therefore, the Holders of Claims in Class 11 are not entitled to vote to accept or reject this Plan.

12. Class 12 – Unexercised Equity Interests

- (a) Classification: Class 12 consists of Unexercised Equity Interests.
- (b) *Treatment*: On the Effective Date, the Unexercised Equity Interests will be cancelled, and the Holders of such Unexercised Equity Interests will not

³ This class excludes the Unexercised Equity Interests that are classified in Class 12.

- receive any distribution or retain any property on account of such Unexercised Equity Interests.
- (c) Voting: Class 12 is Impaired, and the Holders of Unexercised Equity Interests in Class 12 will be conclusively deemed to have rejected this Plan pursuant to section 1126(g) of the Bankruptcy Code. Therefore, Holders of Unexercised Equity Interests in Class 12 will not be entitled to vote to accept or reject this Plan.

C. Special Provision Governing Unimpaired Claims

Except as otherwise provided herein, nothing under this Plan will affect or limit the Debtors' or the Reorganized Debtors' rights and defenses (whether legal or equitable) in respect of any Unimpaired Claims, including, without limitation, all rights in respect of legal and equitable defenses to or setoffs or recoupments against any such Unimpaired Claims. For the avoidance of doubt, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Plan, the Confirmation Order or any Restructuring Documents, (a) no Unimpaired Claim shall be deemed settled, satisfied, resolved, released, discharged, barred or enjoined by any provision of this Plan, the Confirmation Order or the Restructuring Documents, and (b) the property of each of the Debtors' Estates that vest in the applicable Reorganized Debtor pursuant to Articles IV.C and VI.E of this Plan shall not be free and clear of such Claims, until an Unimpaired Claim in Class 8 of this Plan has been (x) paid in full in the Allowed amount of such Claim determined in accordance with applicable law, or on terms agreed to between the Holder of such Claim and the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, or in accordance with the terms and conditions of the particular transaction giving rise to such Claim, or (y) otherwise satisfied or disposed of as determined by a court of competent jurisdiction, at which time (in clause (x) or clause (y)) all of the foregoing provisions of this Plan referenced in clause (b) shall apply in all respects as to the applicable Unimpaired Claim. For further avoidance of doubt, Holders of Unimpaired Class 8 Claims shall not be required to file a proof of Claim with the Bankruptcy Court, and, subject to Article X of this Plan, shall retain all their rights under applicable non-bankruptcy law to pursue their claims in any forum with jurisdiction over the parties.

D. Elimination of Vacant Classes

Any Class of Claims that is not occupied as of the commencement of the Confirmation Hearing by an Allowed Claim or a claim temporarily allowed under Bankruptcy Rule 3018, or as to which no vote is cast, will be deemed eliminated from this Plan for purposes of voting to accept or reject this Plan and for purposes of determining acceptance or rejection of this Plan by such Class pursuant to section 1129(a)(8) of the Bankruptcy Code.

ARTICLE IV.

ACCEPTANCE OR REJECTION OF THE PLAN

A. Presumed Acceptance of Plan

Classes 1-6 and 8, 9, and 11 are Unimpaired under this Plan. Therefore, the Holders of Claims or Equity Interests in such Classes are deemed to have accepted this Plan pursuant to section 1126(f) of the Bankruptcy Code and are not entitled to vote to accept or reject this Plan.

B. Presumed Rejection of Plan

Class 12 is Impaired and Holders of Unexercised Equity Interests in Class 12 are not entitled to receive or retain any property under this Plan. Accordingly, under section 1126(g) of the Bankruptcy Code, the votes of Holders of Unexercised Equity Interests in Class 12 will not be solicited and such Holders are deemed to reject this Plan.

C. Voting Classes

Classes 7 and 10 are Impaired and entitled to vote under this Plan. The Holders of Claims in Class 7 and Existing Common Stock in Class 10 as of the Voting Record Date are entitled to vote to accept or reject this Plan.

D. Acceptance by Impaired Class of Claims

Pursuant to section 1126(c) of the Bankruptcy Code and except as otherwise provided in section 1126(e) of the Bankruptcy Code, an Impaired Class of Claims has accepted this Plan if the Holders of at least two-thirds (2/3) in dollar amount and more than one-half (1/2) in number of the Allowed Claims in such Class actually voting have voted to accept this Plan.

Pursuant to section 1126(d) of the Bankruptcy Code and except as otherwise provided in section 1126(e) of the Bankruptcy Code, an Impaired Class of Equity Interests has accepted this Plan if the Holders of at least two-thirds (2/3) in amount of the Allowed Equity Interests in such Class actually have voted to accept this Plan.

E. Confirmation Pursuant to Sections 1129(a)(10) and 1129(b) of the Bankruptcy Code; Cram Down

Section 1129(a)(10) of the Bankruptcy Code will be satisfied for purposes of Confirmation by acceptance of this Plan by Class 7. The Debtors request confirmation of this Plan under section 1129(b) of the Bankruptcy Code with respect to any Impaired Class that does not accept this Plan pursuant to section 1126 of the Bankruptcy Code. The Debtors reserve the right, in accordance with the terms of the Restructuring Support Agreement, to modify this Plan or any Exhibit or Plan Schedule in order to satisfy the requirements of section 1129(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, if necessary.

F. Votes Solicited in Good Faith

The Debtors have, and upon the Confirmation Date will be deemed to have, solicited votes on this Plan from the Voting Classes in good faith and in compliance with the applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, including, without limitation, sections 1125 and 1126 of the Bankruptcy Code, and any applicable non-bankruptcy law, rule, or regulation governing the adequacy of disclosure in connection with the solicitation. Accordingly, the Debtors, the Reorganized Debtors, and each of their respective Related Persons will be entitled to, and upon the Confirmation Date are hereby granted, the protections of section 1125(e) of the Bankruptcy Code.

ARTICLE V.

MEANS FOR IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PLAN

A. Restructuring Transactions

Without limiting any rights and remedies of the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors under this Plan or applicable law, but in all cases subject to the terms and conditions of the Restructuring Support Agreement (if applicable), the DIP Financing Documents (if applicable), and the Restructuring Documents and any consents or approvals required thereunder, the entry of the Confirmation Order will constitute authorization for the Reorganized Debtors to take, or to cause to be taken, all actions necessary or appropriate to consummate and implement the provisions of this Plan, including but not limited to the actions set forth in the Reorganization Steps Overview, prior to, on and after the Effective Date, including such actions as may be necessary or appropriate to effectuate a corporate restructuring of their respective businesses, to otherwise simplify the overall corporate structure of the Reorganized Debtors, or to reincorporate certain of the Debtors under the laws of jurisdictions other than the laws of which the applicable Debtors are presently formed or incorporated. Such restructuring may include one or more mergers, amalgamations, consolidations, restructures, dispositions, liquidations, dissolutions, or creations of one or more new Entities, as may be determined by the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors to be necessary or appropriate (with the consent of the Required Consenting Noteholders), including the steps described in the Reorganization Steps Overview, but in all cases subject to the terms and conditions of this Plan, the DIP Financing Documents (if applicable), and the Restructuring Documents and any consents or approvals required hereunder or thereunder (collectively, the "Restructuring Transactions").

All such Restructuring Transactions taken, or caused to be taken, will be deemed to have been authorized and approved by the Bankruptcy Court. The actions to effectuate the Restructuring Transactions may include: (i) the execution and delivery of appropriate agreements or other documents of merger, amalgamation, consolidation, restructuring, disposition, liquidation, or dissolution containing terms that are consistent with the terms of this Plan and that satisfy the applicable requirements of applicable state law and such other terms to which the applicable Entities may agree; (ii) the execution and delivery of appropriate instruments of transfer, assignment, assumption, or delegation of any asset, property, right, liability, duty, or obligation on terms consistent with the terms of this Plan and having such other terms to which the applicable Entities may agree; (iii) the filing of appropriate certificates or articles of merger, amalgamation, consolidation, or dissolution pursuant to applicable state law; (iv) the creation of one or more new Entities; and (v) all other actions that the applicable Entities determine to be necessary or appropriate, including making filings or recordings that may be required by applicable state law in connection with such transactions, in each case in form and substance reasonably acceptable to the Required Consenting Noteholders, and in all cases subject to the terms and conditions of this Plan, the DIP Financing Documents (if applicable), and the Restructuring Documents and any consents or approvals required thereunder.

B. Continued Corporate Existence

Subject to the Restructuring Transactions permitted by <u>Article V.A</u> of this Plan, after the Effective Date, the Reorganized Debtors will continue to exist as separate legal Entities in accordance with the applicable law in the respective jurisdiction in which they are incorporated or formed and pursuant to their respective certificates or articles of incorporation and by-laws, or other applicable corporate governance documents, in effect immediately prior to the Effective Date, except to the extent such certificates or articles of incorporation and by-laws, or other applicable corporate governance documents, are amended, restated or otherwise modified under this Plan (subject to such amendment, restatement, or replacement being in accordance with the law of the Debtor's jurisdiction of incorporation to the extent such non-bankruptcy law is applicable), including pursuant to the Amended/New Corporate Governance Documents. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, the Claims against a particular Debtor or Reorganized Debtor will remain the obligations solely of such Debtor or Reorganized Debtor and will not become obligations of any other Debtor or Reorganized Debtor solely by virtue of this Plan or the Chapter 11 Cases.

C. Vesting of Assets in the Reorganized Debtors Free and Clear of Liens and Claims

Except as otherwise expressly provided in this Plan, the Confirmation Order, or any Restructuring Document, pursuant to sections 1123(a)(5), 1123(b)(3), 1141(b) and (c) and other applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, on and after the Effective Date, all property and assets of the Estates of the Debtors, including all claims, rights, and Litigation Claims of the Debtors, and any other assets or property acquired by the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors during the Chapter 11 Cases or under or in connection with this Plan (other than the Professional Fee Claim Reserve and any rejected Executory Contracts and/or Unexpired Leases), will vest in the Reorganized Debtors free and clear of all Claims, Liens, charges, and other encumbrances, subject to the applicable law of the Debtor's jurisdiction of incorporation, where such nonbankruptcy law is applicable, Liens which survive the occurrence of the Effective Date as described in Article III of this Plan (including, without limitation, the Liens that secure the Exit Facility). On and after the Effective Date, the Reorganized Debtors may (i) operate their respective businesses, (ii) use, acquire, and dispose of their respective property and (iii) compromise or settle any Claims, in each case without notice to, supervision of or approval by the Bankruptcy Court and free of any restrictions of the Bankruptcy Code or the Bankruptcy Rules, other than restrictions expressly imposed by this Plan or the Confirmation Order.

D. Exit Facility Loan Documents

On the Effective Date, the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, will be authorized to execute and deliver, and to consummate the transactions contemplated by, the Exit Facility Loan Documents, in each case in form and substance acceptable to the Required Consenting Noteholders in the manner set forth in the Restructuring Support Agreement and to the Exit Facility Lenders and without further notice to or order of the Bankruptcy Court, act or action under applicable law, regulation, order, or rule or the vote, consent, authorization or approval of any Person or Entity (other than as expressly required by the Exit Facility Loan Documents). On the Effective Date, the Exit Facility Loan Documents will constitute legal, valid, binding and authorized indebtedness and obligations of the Reorganized Debtors, enforceable in accordance with their respective terms and such indebtedness and obligations will not be, and will not be

deemed to be, enjoined or subject to discharge, impairment, release or avoidance under this Plan, the Confirmation Order or on account of the Confirmation or Consummation of this Plan.

E. Exit Senior Unsecured Notes Indenture

On the Effective Date, the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, will be authorized to execute and deliver, and to consummate the transactions contemplated by, the Exit Senior Unsecured Notes Indenture and other Exit Senior Unsecured Notes Documents in each case in form and substance acceptable to the Required Consenting Noteholders in the manner set forth in the Restructuring Support Agreement, and in form and substance acceptable to the Backstop Parties, and without further notice to or order of the Bankruptcy Court, act or action under applicable law, regulation, order, or rule or the vote, consent, authorization or approval of any Person or Entity (other than as expressly required by the Exit Senior Unsecured Notes Indenture). The Exit Senior Unsecured Notes will consist of the Rights Offering Notes and the Takeback Notes to be issued under the Exit Senior Unsecured Notes Indenture. On the Effective Date, the Exit Senior Unsecured Notes Indenture will constitute legal, valid, binding and authorized indebtedness and obligations of the Reorganized Debtors, enforceable in accordance with their respective terms and such indebtedness and obligations will not be, and will not be deemed to be, enjoined or subject to discharge, impairment, release or avoidance under this Plan, the Confirmation Order or on account of the Confirmation or Consummation of this Plan.

F. New Common Stock; Book Entry

On the Effective Date, subject to the terms and conditions of this Plan and the Restructuring Transactions and as described more fully in the Reorganization Steps Overview, Reorganized Parent will issue the New Common Stock pursuant to this Plan and the Amended/New Corporate Governance Documents.

Distributions of the New Common Stock and the New Warrants may be made by delivery or book-entry transfer thereof by the applicable Distribution Agent in accordance with this Plan and the Amended/New Corporate Governance Documents. Upon the Effective Date, after giving effect to the transactions contemplated hereby, the authorized share capital or other equity securities of Reorganized Parent will be that number of shares of New Common Stock as may be designated in the Amended/New Corporate Governance Documents.

G. Listing of New Securities and Transfer Restrictions

Reorganized Parent will use its commercially reasonable efforts to list the New Common Stock for trading on a national securities exchange reasonably acceptable to the Debtors and the Required Consenting Noteholders, with such listing to be effective as soon as practical after the Effective Date. On the Effective Date, Reorganized Parent will be a registrant under the Exchange Act. Each share of New Common Stock will have the same rights, including with respect to voting, dividend, capital, redemption, and information rights. The New Common Stock will constitute a single class of equity securities in Reorganized Parent on the Effective Date and, other than the New Common Stock issued under the New Management Incentive Plan and the New Warrants, there will exist no other equity securities, warrants, options, or other agreements to acquire any equity interest in Reorganized Parent as of the Effective Date.

H. New Registration Rights Agreement

Subject to the Restructuring Transactions permitted by <u>Article V.A</u> of this Plan, on the Effective Date, Reorganized Parent will enter into the New Registration Rights Agreement, which will become effective and binding in accordance with its terms and conditions upon the parties thereto, in each case without further notice to or order of the Bankruptcy Court, act or action under applicable law, regulation, order, or rule or the vote, consent, authorization or approval of any Entity (other than as expressly required by the New Registration Rights Agreement).

I. New Management Incentive Plan

As soon as reasonably practicable after the Effective Date, Reorganized Parent will adopt the New Management Incentive Plan, which will be on the terms and conditions (including any and all awards granted thereunder) determined by the New Board (including with respect to participants, allocation, timing, and the form and structure of the options, warrants, and/or equity compensation thereunder). The New Common Stock issued under the New Management Incentive Plan will dilute all of the New Common Stock equally.

J. New Warrants

On the Effective Date, Reorganized Parent will enter into and consummate the transactions contemplated by the New Warrant Agreement (including issuing the New Warrants), which will become effective and binding in accordance with their respective terms and conditions upon the parties thereto, in each case without further notice to or order of the Bankruptcy Court, act or action under applicable law, regulation, order, or rule or the vote, consent, authorization or approval of any Person or Entity (other than as expressly required by the New Warrant Agreement and the New Warrants, as applicable).

K. Plan Securities and Related Documentation; Exemption from Securities Laws

On and after the Effective Date, the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, are authorized to and will provide or issue, as applicable, the New Common Stock, the New Warrants, and the Exit Senior Unsecured Notes to be distributed and issued under this Plan (collectively, the "Plan Securities") and any and all other notes, stock, instruments, certificates, and other documents or agreements required to be distributed, issued, executed or delivered pursuant to or in connection with this Plan (collectively, the "Plan Securities and Documents"), in each case in form and substance acceptable to the Required Consenting Noteholders in the manner set forth in the Restructuring Support Agreement, and without further notice to or order of the Bankruptcy Court, act or action under applicable law, regulation, order, or rule or the vote, consent, authorization or approval of any Entity.

The offer, distribution, and issuance, as applicable, of the Plan Securities and Documents under this Plan will be exempt, or will be effected in a manner that is exempt, from registration and prospectus delivery requirements under applicable securities laws (including, as applicable, Section 5 of the Securities Act, Article 3(1) of Directive 2003/71/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council (as amended), Article 3(1) of Regulation (EU) 2017/1129 of the European Parliament and of the Council, or any similar state or local law requiring the registration and/or delivery of a prospectus for offer or sale of a security or registration or licensing of an issuer of a

security) pursuant to section 1145(a) of the Bankruptcy Code and/or other applicable exemptions; provided, however, that Rights Offering Notes issued to the Backstop Parties pursuant to the Backstop Commitment Agreement (but not the Rights Offering Notes issued to Holders of Allowed Prepetition Notes Claims in the Rights Offering pursuant to Article III.B.7(c) of this Plan) will be issued and distributed pursuant to Section 4(a)(2) of the Securities Act and other applicable exemptions. An offering of Plan Securities provided in reliance on the exemption from registration under the Securities Act pursuant to section 1145(a) of the Bankruptcy Code may be sold without registration to the extent permitted under section 1145 of the Bankruptcy Code and is deemed to be a public offering, and such Plan Securities may be resold without registration to the extent permitted under section 1145 of the Bankruptcy Code and other applicable law.

Persons who purchase securities pursuant to the exemption from registration set forth in Section 4(a)(2) of the Securities Act or Regulation D promulgated thereunder will hold "restricted securities." Resales of such restricted securities would not be exempted by section 1145 of the Bankruptcy Code from registration under the Securities Act or other applicable law. Holders of restricted securities would, however, be permitted to resell Plan Securities without registration if they are able to comply with the applicable provisions of Rule 144 under the Securities Act or Rule 144A under the Securities Act or any other applicable registration exemption under the Securities Act, or if such securities are registered with the SEC.

L. Release of Liens and Claims

To the fullest extent provided under section 1141(c) and other applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, except as otherwise provided herein (including, without limitation, Article V.D. of this Plan and to the extent any cash collateral is provided to satisfy or cash collateralize the Prepetition A&R Claims) or in any contract, instrument, release or other agreement or document entered into or delivered in connection with this Plan, on the Effective Date and concurrently with the applicable distributions made pursuant to Article VII hereof, all Liens, Claims, mortgages, deeds of trust, or other security interests against the assets or property of the Debtors or the Estates will (subject to the laws of the Debtor's jurisdiction of incorporation where such non-bankruptcy law is applicable) be fully released, canceled, terminated, extinguished and discharged, in each case without further notice to or order of the Bankruptcy Court, act or action under applicable law, regulation, order, or rule or the vote, consent, authorization or approval of any Person or Entity. The filing of the Confirmation Order with any federal, state, or local agency or department will constitute good and sufficient evidence of, but will not be required to effect, the termination of such Liens, Claims and other interests to the extent provided in the immediately preceding sentence. Any Person or Entity holding such Liens, Claims or interests will, pursuant to section 1142 of the Bankruptcy Code, and, in the case of any DIP Facility Liens or liens securing the Prepetition A&R Claims, Prepetition Term Loan Claims or the Prepetition Revolving Credit Claims at the sole cost and expense of the Reorganized Debtors, promptly execute and deliver to the Reorganized Debtors such instruments of termination, release, satisfaction and/or assignment (in recordable form) as may be reasonably requested by the Reorganized Debtors.

M. Corporate Governance Documents of the Reorganized Debtors

The respective corporate governance documents of each of the Debtors will be amended and restated or replaced (as applicable) by the Amended/New Corporate Governance Documents

(subject to such amendment, restatement, or replacement being in accordance with the law of the Debtor's jurisdiction of incorporation to the extent such non-bankruptcy law is applicable). Such corporate governance documents will (if permissible under the law of the Debtor's jurisdiction of incorporation if such non-bankruptcy law is applicable): (i) to the extent required by section 1123(a)(6) of the Bankruptcy Code, include a provision prohibiting the issuance of non-voting equity securities; (ii) authorize the issuance of New Common Stock in an amount not less than the amount necessary to permit the distributions thereof required or contemplated by this Plan (including as a result of the exercise of New Warrants); and (iii) to the extent necessary or appropriate, include such provisions as may be needed to effectuate and consummate this Plan and the transactions contemplated herein. After the Effective Date, the Reorganized Debtors may, subject to the terms and conditions of the Amended/New Corporate Governance Documents, amend and restate their respective corporate governance documents as permitted thereby and by applicable law.

N. Directors and Officers of the Reorganized Debtors

The New Board will be composed of seven (7) directors, one of whom will be Mark A. McCollum, the chief executive officer of the Debtors, and six (6) of whom will be designated by the Ad Hoc Noteholder Committee (in consultation with Mark A. McCollum, the chief executive officer of the Debtors and subject to the obligation of the Ad Hoc Noteholder Committee to meet and interview upon reasonable notice any existing members of the Debtors' boards of directors who express interest in serving on the New Board).

Pursuant to and to the extent required by section 1129(a)(5) of the Bankruptcy Code, the Debtors will disclose in the Plan Supplement the identity and affiliations of any Person proposed to serve on the New Board or as an officer of each of the Reorganized Debtors, and, to the extent such Person is an insider other than by virtue of being a director or an officer, the nature of any compensation for such Person. Each such director and officer will serve from and after the Effective Date pursuant to applicable law and the terms of the Amended/New Corporate Governance Documents and the other constituent and corporate governance documents of the applicable Reorganized Debtors. The existing boards of directors and other governing bodies of the Debtors will be deemed to have resigned on and as of the Effective Date, in each case without further notice to or order of the Bankruptcy Court, act or action under applicable law, regulation, order, or rule or the vote, consent, authorization or approval of any Person or Entity.

O. Corporate Action

Each of the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors may take any and all actions to execute, deliver, File or record such contracts, instruments, releases and other agreements or documents and take such actions as may be necessary or appropriate to effectuate and implement the provisions of this Plan, including, without limitation, the issuance and the distribution of the securities to be issued pursuant hereto, in each case in form and substance acceptable to the Required Consenting Noteholders in the manner set forth in the Restructuring Support Agreement and to the extent permitted by the DIP Financing Documents, and without further notice to or order of the Bankruptcy Court, act or action under applicable law, regulation, order, or rule or any requirement of further action, vote or other approval or authorization by the security holders, officers or directors of the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors or by any other Person (subject to

such actions being in accordance with the law of the Debtor's jurisdiction of incorporation to the extent such non-bankruptcy law is applicable).

Prior to, on or after the Effective Date (as appropriate), to the extent permitted by the law of the Debtor's jurisdiction of incorporation to the extent such non-bankruptcy law is applicable, all matters provided for pursuant to this Plan that would otherwise require approval of the stockholders, directors, officers, managers, members or partners of the Debtors (as of prior to the Effective Date) will be deemed to have been so approved and will be in effect prior to, on or after the Effective Date (as appropriate) pursuant to applicable law and without any requirement of further action by such Person or Entity or the need for any approvals, authorizations, actions or consents of or from any such Person or Entity.

As of the Effective Date, all matters provided for in this Plan involving the legal or corporate structure of the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors (including, without limitation, the adoption of the Amended/New Corporate Governance Documents and similar constituent and corporate governance documents, and the selection of directors and officers for, each of the Reorganized Debtors), and any legal or corporate action required by the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors in connection with this Plan, to the extent permitted by the law of the Debtor's jurisdiction of incorporation to the extent such non-bankruptcy law is applicable, will be deemed to have occurred and will be in full force and effect in all respects, in each case without further notice to or order of the Bankruptcy Court, act or action under applicable law, regulation, order, or rule or any requirement of further action, vote or other approval or authorization by any Person or Entity.

On and after the Effective Date, the appropriate officers of the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors are authorized to issue, execute, and deliver, and consummate the transactions contemplated by, the contracts, agreements, documents, guarantees, pledges, consents, securities, certificates, resolutions and instruments contemplated by or described in this Plan in the name of and on behalf of the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors, in each case in form and substance acceptable to the Required Consenting Noteholders in the manner set forth in the Restructuring Support Agreement, and without further notice to or order of the Bankruptcy Court, act or action under applicable law, regulation, order, or rule or any requirement of further action, vote or other approval or authorization by any Person or Entity. The secretary and any assistant secretary of the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors will be authorized to certify or attest to any of the foregoing actions.

P. Cancellation of Notes, Certificates and Instruments

On the Effective Date, except to the extent otherwise provided in this Plan (including, without limitation, Article II.B and Article V.B of this Plan), all notes, indentures, instruments, certificates, agreements and other documents evidencing or relating to any Impaired Claim (including, for the avoidance of doubt and without limitation, the Prepetition Notes Indentures and the Prepetition Notes, or any Claim being paid in full in Cash under this Plan), will be fully released, terminated, extinguished and discharged (including, in respect of DIP Financing Documents, any duties or obligations of the DIP Agent thereunder), in each case without further notice to or order of the Bankruptcy Court, act or action under applicable law, regulation, order, or rule or any requirement of further action, vote or other approval or authorization by any Person or Entity and in the case of any Claim being paid in full in Cash upon the indefeasible payment of such Claim in full in Cash as contemplated by this Plan; provided that the Prepetition Debt

Documents and the DIP Financing Documents will continue in effect for the limited purpose of (i) allowing Holders of Claims thereunder to receive, and allowing and preserving the rights of the Prepetition Agents, the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee or other applicable Distribution Agents thereunder to make, distributions under this Plan; (ii) permitting the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee to exercise its Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee Charging Lien against such distributions for payment of any unpaid portion of the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee Fees and Expenses; (iii) preserving any rights of the DIP Agent to payment of fees, expenses, and indemnification obligations and otherwise allowing the DIP Agent to take any actions contemplated by this Plan, and (iv) preserving the DIP Contingent Obligations as contemplated by Article II.B of this Plan; provided further that, upon completion of the distribution with respect to a specific Prepetition Debt Claim, the Prepetition Debt Documents in connection thereto and any and all notes, securities and instruments issued in connection with such Prepetition Debt Claim shall terminate completely without further notice or action and be deemed surrendered; provided, further, that the foregoing provisions shall not apply to any Class 8 General Unsecured Claims. For the avoidance of doubt, nothing in this Plan or the Confirmation Order will affect or impair the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee Charging Lien, which will remain in full force and effect as of and after the Effective Date. For the avoidance of doubt, nothing contained in this Plan or the Confirmation Order shall in any way limit or affect the standing of the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee or the DIP Agent to appear and be heard in the Chapter 11 Cases or any other proceeding in which they are or may become party on and after the Effective Date, to enforce any provisions of this Plan or otherwise.

Q. Existing Equity Interests

On the Effective Date, the Equity Interests in Weatherford Parent will be terminated and cancelled without further notice to or order of the Bankruptcy Court, act or action under applicable law, regulation, order, or rule or any requirement of further action, vote or other approval or authorization by any Person or Entity.

On the Effective Date, the Intercompany Equity Interests will remain effective and outstanding, except to the extent modified pursuant to the terms of the Reorganization Steps Overview (provided such steps are taken in accordance with applicable law to the extent such non-bankruptcy law is applicable), and will be owned and held by the same applicable Person(s) that held and/or owned such Intercompany Equity Interests immediately prior to the Effective Date. Each Parent Subsidiary will continue to be governed by the terms and conditions of its applicable corporate governance documents as in effect immediately prior to the Effective Date, except as amended or modified by this Plan, where such amendment or modification is permitted under the law of the Parent Subsidiary's jurisdiction of incorporation to the extent such non-bankruptcy law is applicable.

R. Sources of Cash for Plan Distributions

All Cash necessary for the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, to make payments required pursuant to this Plan will be obtained from their respective Cash balances, including Cash from operations, the Rights Offering, and the Exit Facility Credit Agreement. The Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, may also make such payments using Cash received from their subsidiaries through their respective consolidated cash management systems and the incurrence of intercompany transactions, in all cases subject to the terms and conditions of

the Restructuring Documents. For the avoidance of doubt, Weatherford Bermuda and Weatherford Delaware may make payments on behalf of Weatherford Parent that would otherwise be considered prepetition claims of Weatherford Parent in the Irish Scheme of Arrangement so long as such payments are in the ordinary course of business and otherwise in accordance with the terms of this Plan and the DIP Orders.

S. Funding and Use of Professional Fee Claim Reserve

On or before the Effective Date, the Debtors will fund the Professional Fee Claim Reserve in such amount as determined by the Debtors, with the consent of the Required Consenting Noteholders and in consultation with the Committee or as determined by order of the Bankruptcy Court, as necessary in order to be able to pay in full in Cash the obligations and liabilities for which such reserve was established.

The Cash contained in the Professional Fee Claim Reserve will be used solely to pay the obligations and liabilities for which such reserve was established, with the Unused Cash Reserve Amount (if any) being returned to the Reorganized Debtors within three (3) Business Days after determining the Unused Cash Reserve Amount. The Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, will maintain detailed records of all payments made from the Professional Fee Claim Reserve, such that all payments and transactions will be adequately and promptly documented in, and readily ascertainable from, their respective books and records.

The Professional Fee Claim Reserve will be maintained in trust for the Professionals and will not be considered property of the Debtors' Estates; provided that the Reorganized Debtors will have a reversionary interest in the Unused Cash Reserve Amount. To the extent that funds held in the Professional Fee Claim Reserve do not or are unable to satisfy the full amount of the Allowed Professional Fee Claims, such Professionals will have an Allowed Administrative Claim for any such deficiency, which will be satisfied in full in Cash in accordance with <u>Article II.A</u> of this Plan.

After the Effective Date, neither the Debtors nor the Reorganized Debtors will deposit any other funds or property into the Professional Fee Claim Reserve without further order of the Bankruptcy Court or otherwise commingle funds in the Professional Fee Claim Reserve. To the extent the Professional Fee Claim Reserve is insufficient to pay in full in Cash the obligations and liabilities for which such reserve was established, then the Reorganized Debtors will, within five (5) Business Days, pay such obligations and liabilities from either Cash on hand or by drawing under the Exit Facility Credit Agreement to the extent of any availability thereunder.

T. Payment of Fees and Expenses of Certain Creditors

The Debtors will, on and after the Effective Date and to the extent invoiced in accordance with the terms of the applicable engagement letter, pay the Ad Hoc Noteholder Committee Fees and Expenses (whether accrued prepetition or postpetition and to the extent not otherwise paid during the Chapter 11 Cases), without the need for application by any such parties to the Bankruptcy Court, and without notice and a hearing pursuant to section 1129(a)(4) of the Bankruptcy Code or otherwise.

U. Payment of Fees and Expenses of the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee

The Debtors will, on and after the Effective Date, and upon the presentment of invoices in customary form (which may be redacted to preserve any confidential or privileged information), pay the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee Fees and Expenses (in each case whether accrued prepetition or postpetition and to the extent not otherwise paid during the Chapter 11 Cases and the fees and expenses of the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee solely in its capacity as Distribution Agent under this Plan), without the need for application by any party to the Bankruptcy Court, and without notice and a hearing pursuant to section 1129(a)(4) of the Bankruptcy Code or otherwise. Nothing herein will be deemed to impair, waive, or discharge the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee Charging Lien for any amounts not paid pursuant to this Plan and otherwise claimed by the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee pursuant to and in accordance with the Prepetition Notes Indentures. From and after the Effective Date, the Reorganized Debtors will pay any Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee Fees and Expenses in full in Cash without further court approval.

V. Rights Offering

The Debtors will distribute the Subscription Rights for the Rights Offering to the Holders of Prepetition Notes as set forth in this Plan and the Rights Offering Procedures. Pursuant to the Rights Offering Procedures and this Plan, the Rights Offering will be open to all Holders of Prepetition Notes. The Rights Offering will commence within three (3) Business Days following entry of the Confirmation Order by the Bankruptcy Court and will conclude on the first Business Day that is not less than 10 days thereafter and prior to the Effective Date. Upon exercise of the Subscription Rights by the Holders of Prepetition Notes pursuant to the terms of the Rights Offering Procedures and this Plan, the Reorganized Debtors will be authorized to issue the Rights Offering Notes on the Effective Date under the Exit Senior Unsecured Notes Indenture and in accordance with this Plan and the Rights Offering Procedures. Pursuant to the Backstop Commitment Agreement, the Backstop Parties will purchase any of the Rights Offering Notes not subscribed for by Holders of Prepetition Notes in the Rights Offering at the per note purchase price set forth in the Rights Offering Procedures and the Backstop Commitment Agreement. On the Effective Date, the rights and obligations of the Debtors under the Backstop Commitment Agreement will vest in the Reorganized Debtors.

ARTICLE VI.

TREATMENT OF EXECUTORY CONTRACTS AND UNEXPIRED LEASES

A. Assumption of Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases

On the Effective Date, all Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases of the Debtors will be assumed by the Debtors in accordance with, and subject to, the provisions and requirements of sections 365 and 1123 of the Bankruptcy Code, except for those Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases that:

(i) have been assumed or rejected by the Debtors by prior order of the Bankruptcy Court;

- (ii) are the subject of a motion to reject filed by the Debtors pending on the Effective Date:
- (iii) are identified by the Debtors (with the consent of the Required Consenting Noteholders) and Filed in the Plan Supplement; or
 - (iv) are rejected or terminated by the Debtors pursuant to the terms of this Plan.

Without amending or altering any prior order of the Bankruptcy Court approving the assumption or rejection of any Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease, entry of the Confirmation Order by the Bankruptcy Court will constitute approval of such assumptions pursuant to sections 365(a) and 1123 of the Bankruptcy Code.

To the extent any provision in any Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease assumed or assumed and assigned (as applicable) pursuant to this Plan or any prior order of the Bankruptcy Court (including, without limitation, any "change of control" provision) (a) prohibits, restricts or conditions (or purports to prohibit, restrict or condition), (b) is modified, breached or terminated (or deemed modified, breached or terminated), (c) increases, accelerates or otherwise alters any obligations or liabilities of the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors (or purports to increase, accelerate or otherwise alter any obligations or liabilities of the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors), or (d) results in the creation or imposition of any Lien upon any property or asset of any of the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors (or purports to result in the creation or imposition of any Lien upon any property or asset or any of the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors), in each case as a result of (i) the commencement of these Chapter 11 Cases or the insolvency or financial condition of any Debtor at any time before the closing of its respective Chapter 11 Case, (ii) any Debtor's or any Reorganized Debtor's assumption or assumption and assignment (as applicable) of such Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease or (iii) the Confirmation or Consummation of this Plan, then such provision will, to the extent provided by section 365 of the Bankruptcy Code, not entitle the nondebtor party thereto to modify, declare a breach, terminate, increase, accelerate or alter any of the obligations or liabilities of the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors under, or create or impose any Lien upon any property or asset of any of the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors under any such Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease or to exercise any other default-related rights or remedies solely with respect thereto, and any required consent under any such contract or lease will be deemed satisfied by the Confirmation of this Plan, in each case subject to the remaining terms and conditions of this Article VI.

Each Executory Contract and Unexpired Lease assumed and/or assigned pursuant to this Plan will revest in and be fully enforceable by the applicable Reorganized Debtor or the applicable assignee in accordance with its terms and conditions, except as modified by the provisions of this Plan, any order of the Bankruptcy Court approving its assumption and/or assignment, or applicable law.

The inclusion or exclusion of a contract or lease on any schedule or exhibit will not constitute an admission by any Debtor that such contract or lease is an Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease or that any Debtor has any liability thereunder.

B. Cure of Defaults; Assignment of Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases

Any monetary amounts by which any Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease to be assumed pursuant to this Plan is in default shall be satisfied, pursuant to section 365(b)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code, by payment of the default amount (if any) in Cash by the Debtors or

Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, on the Effective Date or on such other terms as the parties to each such executory contract or unexpired lease may otherwise agree in writing, with the consent of the Required Consenting Noteholders.

In the event of a dispute regarding (a) the amount of any cure payment, (b) the ability of any Debtor or assignee to provide "adequate assurance of future performance" (within the meaning of section 365 of the Bankruptcy Code) under the Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease to be assumed, or assumed and assigned or (c) any other matter pertaining to assumption or assignment, the applicable cure payments required by section 365(b)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code will be made following the entry of a Final Order resolving the dispute in accordance with Article VIII.A.4 of this Plan and approving such assumption or assumption and assignment; provided, however, that following the resolution of any such dispute, the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, may elect to reject such Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease in lieu of assuming or assigning it. The Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, will be authorized to effect such rejection by filing a written notice of rejection with the Bankruptcy Court and serving such notice on the applicable counterparty within ten (10) days of the entry of such Final Order.

Subject to any cure claims Filed with respect thereto, assumption or assumption and assignment of any Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease pursuant to this Plan will result in the full release and satisfaction of any Claims or defaults, whether monetary or nonmonetary, including defaults of provisions restricting the change in control or ownership interest composition or other bankruptcy-related defaults, arising under any assumed Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease at any time prior to the effective date of assumption or assumption and assignment, in each case as provided in section 365 of the Bankruptcy Code, in each case subject to the remaining terms and conditions of this Article VI. Any proofs of Claim filed with respect to an Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease that has been assumed or assumed and assigned by Final Order will be deemed disallowed and expunged (subject to any cure claims Filed with respect thereto), without further notice to or action, order, or approval of the Bankruptcy Court.

With respect to any Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease assumed and assigned pursuant to this Plan, upon and as of the Effective Date, the applicable assignee will be deemed to be substituted as a party thereto for the applicable Debtor party to such assigned Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease and, accordingly, the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors will be relieved, pursuant to and to the extent set forth in section 365(k) of the Bankruptcy Code, from any further liability under such assigned Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease.

C. Rejection of Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases

The Debtors reserve the right (with the consent of the Required Consenting Noteholders), at any time prior to the Effective Date, except as otherwise specifically provided herein, to seek to reject any Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease and to file a motion requesting authorization for the rejection of any such contract or lease. All Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases listed on a Plan Schedule will be deemed rejected as of the Effective Date. The Confirmation Order will constitute an order of the Bankruptcy Court approving the rejections described in this Article-VI pursuant to sections 365 and 1123 of the Bankruptcy Code as of the Effective Date. Rejection of any Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease pursuant to this Plan or otherwise will not constitute a termination of any preexisting obligations owed to the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, under such Executory Contracts or Unexpired Leases.

D. Claims on Account of the Rejection of Executory Contracts or Unexpired Leases

All proofs of Claim with respect to Claims arising from the rejection of Executory Contracts or Unexpired Leases, pursuant to this Plan or the Confirmation Order, if any, must be filed with the Bankruptcy Court within thirty (30) days after service of an order of the Bankruptcy Court (including the Confirmation Order) approving such rejection and any such Claims will be paid in full in cash when Allowed.

Any Person or Entity that is required to file a proof of Claim arising from the rejection of an Executory Contract or an Unexpired Lease that fails to timely do so will be forever barred, estopped and enjoined from asserting such Claim, and such Claim will not be enforceable, against the Debtors, the Reorganized Debtors or the Estates, and the Debtors, the Reorganized Debtors and their Estates and their respective assets and property will be forever discharged from any and all indebtedness and liability with respect to such Claim unless otherwise ordered by the Bankruptcy Court or as otherwise provided herein. All such Claims will, as of the Effective Date, be subject to the permanent injunction set forth in Article X.G hereof.

E. D&O Liability Insurance Policies

On the Effective Date, each D&O Liability Insurance Policy will be deemed and treated as an Executory Contract that is and will be assumed by the Debtors (and assigned to the applicable Reorganized Debtors, if necessary) pursuant to section 365(a) and section 1123 of the Bankruptcy Code as to which no proof of Claim, request for administrative expense, or cure claim need be Filed, and all Claims arising from the D&O Liability Insurance Policies will survive the Effective Date and be Unimpaired. Unless previously effectuated by separate order entered by the Bankruptcy Court, entry of the Confirmation Order will constitute the Bankruptcy Court's approval of the Debtors' assumption of each of the D&O Liability Insurance Policies. In furtherance of the foregoing, the Reorganized Debtors will maintain and continue in full force and effect such D&O Liability Insurance Policies for the benefit of the insured Persons at levels (including with respect to coverage and amount) no less favorable than those existing as of the date of entry of the Confirmation Order for a period of no less than six (6) years following the Effective Date; provided, however, that, after assumption of the D&O Liability Insurance Policies, nothing in this Plan otherwise alters the terms and conditions of the D&O Liability Insurance Policies. Confirmation and Consummation of this Plan will not impair or otherwise modify any available defenses of the Reorganized Debtors under the D&O Liability Insurance Policies. For the avoidance of doubt, the D&O Liability Insurance Policies will continue to apply with respect to actions, or failures to act, that occurred on or prior to the Effective Date, subject to the terms and conditions of the D&O Liability Insurance Policies. The Debtors are further authorized to take such actions, and to execute and deliver such documents, as may be reasonably necessary or appropriate to implement, maintain, cause the binding of, satisfy any terms or conditions of, or otherwise secure for the insureds the benefits of the D&O Tail Policy, without further notice to or order of the Bankruptcy Court or approval or consent of any Person or Entity.

F. Indemnification Provisions

On the Effective Date, all Indemnification Provisions will be deemed and treated as Executory Contracts that are and will be assumed by the Debtors (and assigned to the applicable Reorganized Debtors, if necessary) pursuant to section 365(a) and section 1123 of the Bankruptcy Code as to which no proof of Claim, request for administrative expense, or cure claim need be

Filed, and all Claims arising from the Indemnification Provisions will survive the Effective Date and be Unimpaired. Unless previously effectuated by separate order entered by the Bankruptcy Court, entry of the Confirmation Order will constitute the Bankruptcy Court's approval of the Debtors' assumption of each of the Indemnification Provisions. Confirmation and Consummation of this Plan will not impair or otherwise modify any available defenses of the Reorganized Debtors or other applicable parties under the Indemnification Provisions. For the avoidance of doubt, the Indemnification Provisions will continue to apply with respect to actions, or failures to act, that occurred on or prior to the Effective Date, subject to the terms and conditions of the Indemnification Provisions.

G. Employment Plans

All employment agreements and severance policies, and all employment and service provider, compensation, bonus, retention, change of control, equity, benefit, pension and/or welfare plans and similar plans, policies, programs, agreements and arrangements of the Debtors and applicable to any of the Debtors' current or former officers, directors, members, partners, employees, service providers, or retirees (collectively, the "Employment Plans") will be maintained, continued in full force and effect and assumed by the applicable Debtors (and assigned to the applicable Reorganized Debtors, if necessary) pursuant to sections 365(a) and 1123 of the Bankruptcy Code as to which no proof of Claim, request for administrative expense, or cure claim need be Filed. All Claims arising from the Employment Plans will be Unimpaired.

H. Insurance Contracts

On the Effective Date, and without limiting the terms or provisions of Paragraph E of this Article VI, each Insurance Contract will be deemed and treated as an Executory Contract that is and will be assumed by the Debtors pursuant to section 365(a) and section 1123 of the Bankruptcy Code as to which no proof of Claim, request for administrative expense, or cure claim need be Filed. Unless previously effectuated by separate order entered by the Bankruptcy Court, entry of the Confirmation Order will constitute the Bankruptcy Court's approval of the Debtors' assumption of each of the Insurance Contracts. Confirmation and Consummation of this Plan will not impair or otherwise modify any available defenses of the Reorganized Debtors or any insurer under the Insurance Contracts.

I. Extension of Time to Assume or Reject

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary set forth in <u>Article VI</u> of this Plan, in the event of a dispute as to whether a contract is executory or a lease is unexpired, the right of the Reorganized Debtors to move to assume or reject such contract or lease will be extended until the date that is ten (10) days after entry of a Final Order by the Bankruptcy Court determining that the contract is executory or the lease is unexpired. The deemed assumption provided for in <u>Article VI.A</u> of this Plan will not apply to any such contract or lease, and any such contract or lease will be assumed or rejected only upon motion of the Reorganized Debtors following the Bankruptcy Court's determination that the contract is executory or the lease is unexpired.

J. Modifications, Amendments, Supplements, Restatements, or Other Agreements

Unless otherwise provided in this Plan, each Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease that is assumed by the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors will include all modifications, amendments,

supplements, restatements, or other agreements that in any manner affect such Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease, and all rights related thereto, if any, including all easements, licenses, permits, rights, privileges, immunities, options, rights of first refusal, and any other interests, unless any of the foregoing has been previously rejected or repudiated or is rejected or repudiated hereunder. Modifications, amendments, supplements, and restatements to prepetition Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases that have been executed by the Debtors during the Chapter 11 Cases will not be deemed to alter the prepetition nature of the Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease, or the validity, priority, or amount of any Claims that may arise in connection therewith.

ARTICLE VII.

PROVISIONS GOVERNING DISTRIBUTIONS

A. Distributions for Claims Allowed as of the Effective Date

Except as otherwise provided in the "Treatment" sections in <u>Article III</u> hereof (including in respect of the DIP Facility Claims which shall be indefeasibly paid in full in cash on the Effective Date), initial distributions to be made on account of Claims that are Allowed Claims as of the Effective Date will be made on the Initial Distribution Date or as soon thereafter as is practicable. Any payment or distribution required to be made under this Plan on a day other than a Business Day will be made on the next succeeding Business Day. Distributions on account of Disputed Claims that first become Allowed Claims after the Effective Date will be made pursuant to Article VIII hereof.

B. No Postpetition Interest on Claims

Unless otherwise specifically provided for in this Plan, the Confirmation Order or Final Order of the Bankruptcy Court, or required by applicable bankruptcy law (including, without limitation, as required pursuant to section 506(b) or section 511 of the Bankruptcy Code), postpetition interest will not accrue or be paid on any Claims (except DIP Facility Claims) and no Holder of a Claim (except a DIP Facility Claim) will be entitled to interest accruing on or after the Petition Date on any Claim, provided, that, to the extent provided for in the contracts or instruments giving rise to a Class 8 General Unsecured Claim or required to be paid on a Class 8 General Unsecured Claim under applicable nonbankruptcy law, interest shall accrue on Class 8 General Unsecured Claims at the relevant contractual rate or other rate applicable under relevant nonbankruptcy law.

C. Distributions by the Reorganized Debtors or Other Applicable Distribution Agent

Other than as specifically set forth below or as otherwise provided in this Plan, the Reorganized Debtors or other applicable Distribution Agent will make, or facilitate the making of, all distributions required to be distributed under this Plan. Except as otherwise provided in this Plan, distributions on account of the Allowed Prepetition Debt and Allowed DIP Facility Claims will be made to the Prepetition Agents, the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee, and the DIP Agent, respectively, and such agent or trustee will be, and will act as, the Distribution Agent with respect to its respective Class of Claims in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Plan and the applicable debt documents. Except as otherwise provided in this Plan, all distributions to Holders of Prepetition Debt Claims and DIP Facility Claims will be deemed completed when made by the

Reorganized Debtors to the Prepetition Agents, the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee (or as directed by the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee) in its capacity as Distribution Agent, and the DIP Agent, or as otherwise provided in this Plan, as applicable. The Reorganized Debtors may employ or contract with other Entities to assist in or make the distributions required by this Plan and may pay the reasonable fees and expenses of such Entities and the Distribution Agents in the ordinary course of business without any further notice to or action, order or approval of the Bankruptcy Court. No Distribution Agent will be required to give any bond or surety or other security for the performance of its duties unless otherwise ordered by the Bankruptcy Court. The DIP Agent, the Prepetition Agents and the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee shall not have any liability to any person with respect to distributions made, directed to be made by or facilitated by the DIP Agent, the Prepetition Agents or the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee, as applicable, pursuant to this Plan regardless of what capacity they are acting in.

The distributions of New Common Stock and Takeback Notes to be made under this Plan to Holders of Allowed Prepetition Notes Claims shall be deemed made by the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, to the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee which, subject to the right of the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee to assert its Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee Charging Lien against such distributions, shall transmit (or cause to be transmitted) such distributions to such Holders as set forth below. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Plan, the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee, in its capacity as Distribution Agent, may transfer or facilitate the transfer of such distributions through the facilities of DTC in exchange for the relevant Prepetition Notes. If it is necessary to adopt alternate, additional or supplemental distribution procedures for any reason including because such distributions cannot be made through the facilities of DTC, to otherwise effectuate the distributions under this Plan or to give effect to the terms of the NOL Order, the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, shall implement such alternate, additional or supplemental procedures in consultation with the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee, in its capacity as Distribution Agent, to make distributions to Holders of the Prepetition Notes and to eliminate such Prepetition Notes, including all book entry positions relating thereto, from DTC's books and records (the "Alternate/Supplemental Distribution Process"). The Debtors or Reorganized Debtors (as applicable) shall use their best efforts to make the New Common Stock and Takeback Notes to be distributed to Holders of the Prepetition Notes eligible for distribution through the facilities of DTC. Distributions of Subscription Rights under this Plan to Holders of Allowed Prepetition Notes Claims shall be made by the Voting and Claims Agent as provided in the Rights Offering Procedures. The obligations of the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee under the Prepetition Notes Indentures, the Prepetition Notes, and this Plan shall, in its capacity as indenture trustee, be deemed fully satisfied upon the Effective Date. The obligations of the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee in its capacity as Distribution Agent shall be deemed fully satisfied upon either: (i) DTC's receipt of the distributions with respect to the Prepetition Notes; or (ii) if the Alternate/Supplemental Distribution Process is utilized, upon the completion (other than for continuing ministerial items) of its role in such process. The Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee as a Distribution Agent under this Plan will be entitled to recognize and deal with for all purposes the Holders of the Prepetition Notes to the extent necessary to facilitate the distributions with respect to Allowed Prepetition Notes Claims to such Holders. Regardless of which capacity it is acting, the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee in any capacity shall not be responsible for, and may conclusively rely on, the Alternate/Supplemental Distribution Process.

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The distributions of New Common Stock and New Warrants to be made under this Plan to Holders of Allowed Existing Common Stock shall be made by the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, and may include the distribution of that New Common Stock and New Warrants through the facilities of DTC. The Debtors or Reorganized Debtors (as applicable) shall use their best efforts to make the New Common Stock and New Warrants to be distributed to Holders of the Existing Common Stock eligible for distribution through the facilities of DTC.

Notwithstanding any policies, practices or procedures of DTC or any other applicable clearing system, DTC and all other applicable clearing systems shall cooperate with and take all actions reasonably requested by the Voting and Claims Agent or the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee to facilitate distributions to Holders of Allowed Claims without requiring that such distributions be characterized as repayments of principal or interest. No Distribution Agent, including the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee in any capacity, shall be required to provide indemnification or other security to DTC in connection with any distributions to Holders of Allowed Claims through the facilities of DTC.

DTC shall be required to accept and conclusively rely upon this Plan or Confirmation Order in lieu of a legal opinion regarding whether the Plan Securities (other than the Rights Offering Notes issued to the Backstop Parties pursuant to the Backstop Commitment Agreement) are exempt from registration and/or eligible for DTC book-entry delivery, settlement, and depository services.

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Plan or Confirmation Order, no entity (including, for the avoidance of doubt, DTC) shall be entitled to require a legal opinion regarding the validity of any transaction contemplated by this Plan or Confirmation Order, including, for the avoidance of doubt, whether the Plan Securities (other than the Rights Offering Notes issued to the Backstop Parties pursuant to the Backstop Commitment Agreement) are exempt from registration and/or eligible for DTC book entry delivery, settlement, and depositary services.

D. Delivery and Distributions; Undeliverable or Unclaimed Distributions

1. Record Date for Distributions

On the Distribution Record Date, the Claims Register (and the Debtors' books and records with respect to the Holders of Equity Interests in Weatherford Parent) will be closed. Accordingly, the Debtors, the Reorganized Debtors or other applicable Distribution Agent will have no obligation to recognize the assignment, transfer or other disposition of, or the sale of any participation in, any Allowed Claim (other than DIP Facility Claims and Prepetition Debt Claims) or Allowed Equity Interest that occurs after the close of business on the Distribution Record Date, and will be entitled for all purposes herein to recognize and distribute securities, property, notices and other documents only to those Holders of Allowed Claims (other than DIP Facility Claims and Prepetition Debt Claims) or Allowed Equity Interest who are Holders of such Claims or Equity Interests, or participants therein, as of the close of business on the Distribution Record Date. The Reorganized Debtors or other applicable Distribution Agent will be entitled to recognize and deal for all purposes under this Plan with only those record holders stated on the Claims Register, or their books and records, as of the close of business on the Distribution Record Date; provided, however, that the Distribution Record Date will not apply to the DIP Facility Claims, Prepetition Debt Claims, or any securities of the Debtors deposited with DTC.

2. Delivery of Distributions in General

Except as otherwise provided herein, the Debtors, the Reorganized Debtors or other applicable Distribution Agent, as applicable, will make distributions to Holders of Allowed Claims and Allowed Equity Interests, or in care of their authorized agents, as appropriate, at the address for each such Holder or agent as indicated on the Debtors' or other applicable Distribution Agent's books and records as of the date of any such distribution; *provided*, *however*, that the manner of such distributions will be determined in the discretion of the applicable Distribution Agent (subject to the terms and conditions of the DIP Credit Agreement and the relevant Prepetition Debt Documents, if applicable); *provided* further, that the address for each Holder of an Allowed Claim will be deemed to be the address set forth in the latest proof of Claim, if any, Filed by such Holder pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 3001 as of the Distribution Record Date and the address for each Holder of an Allowed Equity Interest will be deemed to be the address set forth in the Debtors' books and records, or as may be held by the applicable transfer agent or similar such agency.

3. Minimum Distributions

Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, no Distribution Agent will be required to make distributions or payments of less than \$100.00 (whether in Cash or otherwise) or to make partial distributions or payments of fractions of dollars, Takeback Notes, or New Common Stock, in each case with respect to Impaired Claims or Impaired Equity Interests. With respect to Impaired Claims and Impaired Equity Interests, whenever any payment or distribution of a fraction of a dollar, a fraction of a Takeback Note in less than the denominational requirement, or a fraction of a share of New Common Stock under this Plan would otherwise be called for, the actual payment or distribution will reflect a rounding of such fraction down to the nearest whole dollar, or minimum denomination of Takeback Notes, or share of New Common Stock (and no Cash will be distributed in lieu of such fractional New Common Stock). For the avoidance of doubt, DTC shall be considered a single holder for purposes of distributions.

No Distribution Agent will have any obligation to make a distribution on account of an Allowed Claim that is Impaired under this Plan if: (a) the aggregate amount of all distributions authorized to be made on the Subsequent Distribution Date in question is or has an economic value less than \$25,000, unless such distribution is a final distribution; or (b) the amount to be distributed to the specific Holder of an Allowed Claim on such Subsequent Distribution Date does not constitute a final distribution to such Holder and is or has an economic value less than \$25.00, which will be treated as an undeliverable distribution under Article VII.D.4 below.

4. Undeliverable Distributions

(a) Holding of Certain Undeliverable Distributions

If the distribution to any Holder of an Allowed Claim or an Allowed Equity Interest is returned to the Distribution Agent as undeliverable or is otherwise unclaimed, no further distributions will be made to such Holder unless and until the Distribution Agent is notified in writing of such Holder's then current address in accordance with the time frames described in Article VII.D.4(b) hereof, at which time all currently due but missed distributions will be made to such Holder on the next Subsequent Distribution Date (or such earlier date as determined by the applicable Distribution Agent). Undeliverable distributions will remain in the possession of the Reorganized Debtors or in the applicable reserve, subject to Article VII.D.4(b) hereof, until such

time as any such distributions become deliverable. Undeliverable distributions will not be entitled to any additional interest, dividends or other accruals of any kind on account of their distribution being undeliverable.

(b) Failure to Claim Undeliverable Distributions

Any Holder of an Allowed Claim or an Allowed Equity Interest (or any successor or assignee or other Person or Entity claiming by, through, or on behalf of, such Holder) that does not assert a right pursuant to this Plan for an undeliverable or unclaimed distribution within ninety (90) days after the later of the Effective Date or the date such distribution is due will be deemed to have forfeited its rights for such undeliverable or unclaimed distribution and will be forever barred and enjoined from asserting any such rights for an undeliverable or unclaimed distribution against the Debtors or their Estates, the Reorganized Debtors or their respective assets or property, or any Distribution Agent. In such case, any Cash, Plan Securities, or other property reserved for distribution on account of such Claim or Equity Interest will become the property of the Reorganized Debtors, free and clear of any Claims or other rights of such Holder with respect thereto and notwithstanding any federal or state escheat laws to the contrary. Any such Cash, Plan Securities, or other property will thereafter be distributed or allocated in accordance with the applicable terms and conditions of this Plan. Nothing contained in this Plan will require the Debtors, the Reorganized Debtors, or any Distribution Agent to attempt to locate any Holder of an Allowed Claim or an Allowed Equity Interest.

(c) Failure to Present Checks

Checks issued by the Distribution Agent on account of Allowed Claims or Allowed Equity Interests will be null and void if not negotiated within ninety (90) days after the issuance of such check. Requests for reissuance of any check will be made directly to the Distribution Agent by the Holder of the relevant Allowed Claim or Allowed Equity Interest with respect to which such check originally was issued. Any Holder of an Allowed Claim or Allowed Equity Interest holding an un-negotiated check that does not request reissuance of such un-negotiated check within ninety (90) days after the date of mailing or other delivery of such check will have its rights for such unnegotiated check discharged and be forever barred, estopped and enjoined from asserting any such right against the Debtors, their Estates, the Reorganized Debtors, or their respective assets or property. In such case, any Cash held for payment on account of such Claims or Equity Interests will become the property of the Reorganized Debtors, free and clear of any Claims or other rights of such Holder with respect thereto and notwithstanding any federal or state escheat laws to the contrary. Any such Cash will thereafter be distributed or allocated in accordance with the applicable terms and conditions of this Plan.

E. Compliance with Tax Requirements

In connection with this Plan and all distributions hereunder, the Reorganized Debtors or other applicable Distribution Agent will comply with all withholding and reporting requirements imposed by any federal, state, local, or foreign taxing authority, and all distributions hereunder will be subject to any such withholding and reporting requirements. Notwithstanding any provision in this Plan to the contrary, the Reorganized Debtors or other applicable Distribution Agent will be authorized to take any and all actions that may be necessary or appropriate to comply with such withholding and reporting requirements. All Persons holding Claims or Equity Interests will be required to provide any information necessary to effect information reporting and the

withholding of such taxes (or establish eligibility for an exclusion for the withholding of taxes), and each Holder of an Allowed Claim or an Allowed Equity Interest will have the sole and exclusive responsibility for the satisfaction and payment of any tax obligations imposed by any Governmental Unit, including income, withholding, and other tax obligations, on account of such distribution. Any amounts withheld or reallocated pursuant to this **Error! Reference source not found.** will be treated as if distributed to the Holder of the Allowed Claim.

- F. [Intentionally Omitted]
- G. Means of Cash Payment

Payments of Cash made pursuant to this Plan will be in U.S. dollars and will be made, at the option of the applicable Distribution Agent, by checks drawn on, or wire transfer from, a domestic bank selected by such Distribution Agent. Cash payments to foreign creditors may be made, at the option of the applicable Distribution Agent, in such funds and by such means as are necessary or customary in a particular foreign jurisdiction. All Cash distributions to be made under this Plan to the DIP Agent on account of the DIP Facility Claims shall be made by wire transfer.

H. Timing and Calculation of Amounts to Be Distributed

Except as otherwise provided in the "Treatment" sections in <u>Article III</u> hereof or as ordered by the Bankruptcy Court, on the Initial Distribution Date (or if a Claim is not an Allowed Claim on the Effective Date, on the Subsequent Distribution Date occurring after such Claim becomes an Allowed Claim, or as soon as reasonably practicable thereafter), each Holder of an Allowed Claim will receive the full amount of the distributions that this Plan provides for Allowed Claims in the applicable Class. If and to the extent that there are Disputed Claims, distributions on account of any such Disputed Claims will be made pursuant to the provisions set forth in the applicable class treatment or in <u>Article VIII</u> hereof. Except as otherwise provided herein, Holders of Claims will not be entitled to interest, dividends or accruals on the distributions provided for herein, regardless of whether such distributions are delivered on or at any time after the Effective Date.

I. Setoffs

Without altering or limiting any of the rights and remedies of the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors under section 502(d) of the Bankruptcy Code, all of which rights and remedies are hereby reserved, the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors may, but will not be required to, withhold (but not setoff except as set forth below) from the distributions called for hereunder on account of any Allowed Claim an amount equal to any claims, Causes of Action and Litigation Claims of any nature that the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors may hold against the Holder of any such Allowed Claim; provided that, at least ten (10) days prior to effectuating such withholding, the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, will provide written notice thereof to the applicable Holder of such Claim, and all objections and defenses of such Holder to such withholding are preserved. In the event that any such claims, Causes of Action or Litigation Claims are adjudicated by Final Order or otherwise resolved against the applicable Holder, the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors may, pursuant to section 553 of the Bankruptcy Code or applicable non-bankruptcy law, set off against any Allowed Claim and the distributions to be made pursuant hereto on account of such Allowed Claim (before any distribution is made on account of such Allowed Claim), the amount of such adjudicated or resolved claims, Causes of Action or Litigation Claims. Neither the failure to effect such a setoff nor the allowance of any Claim

hereunder will constitute a waiver or release by the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors of any such claims, Causes of Action or Litigation Claims, all of which are reserved unless expressly released or compromised pursuant to this Plan or the Confirmation Order. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, the Allowed DIP Facility Claims and the Allowed Prepetition Debt Claims and the distributions to be made pursuant hereto on account of such Claims will not be subject to set off by the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors pursuant to section 553 of the Bankruptcy Code or applicable non-bankruptcy law and the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors hereby waive any and all rights of set off against such Claims.

ARTICLE VIII.

PROCEDURES FOR RESOLVING CONTINGENT, UNLIQUIDATED, AND DISPUTED CLAIMS AND EQUITY INTERESTS

- A. Resolution of Disputed Claims and Equity Interests
 - 1. Allowance of Claims and Equity Interests

After the Effective Date, and except as otherwise provided in this Plan, the Reorganized Debtors will have and will retain any and all available rights and defenses that the Debtors had with respect to any Claim or Equity Interest, including, without limitation, the right to assert any objection to Claims and Equity Interests based on the limitations imposed by section 502 or section 510 of the Bankruptcy Code. The Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors may contest the amount and validity of any Disputed Claim or Disputed Equity Interest in the ordinary course of business in the manner and venue in which such Claim or Equity Interest would have been determined, resolved or adjudicated if the Chapter 11 Cases had not been commenced.

2. Prosecution of Objections to Claims and Equity Interests

After the Confirmation Date but before the Effective Date, the Debtors (in consultation with the Ad Hoc Noteholder Committee and the Committee), and after the Effective Date, the Reorganized Debtors, will have the authority to File objections to Claims and Equity Interests (other than those that are Allowed under this Plan, including the DIP Facility Claims) and settle, compromise, withdraw or litigate to judgment objections to any and all such Claims and Equity Interests, regardless of whether such Claims and Equity Interests are in an Unimpaired Class or otherwise; *provided*, *however*, this provision will not apply to Professional Fee Claims, which may be objected to by any party-in-interest in these Chapter 11 Cases. From and after the Effective Date, the Reorganized Debtors may settle or compromise any Disputed Claim and Disputed Equity Interest without any further notice to or action, order or approval of the Bankruptcy Court. The Reorganized Debtors will have the sole authority to administer and adjust the Claims Register and their respective books and records to reflect any such settlements or compromises without any further notice to or action, order or approval of the Bankruptcy Court.

3. Claims Estimation

After the Confirmation Date but before the Effective Date, the Debtors (in consultation with the Ad Hoc Noteholder Committee and the Committee), and after the Effective Date, the Reorganized Debtors may at any time request that the Bankruptcy Court estimate any Disputed Claim or contingent or unliquidated Claim pursuant to applicable law, including, without limitation, section 502(c) of the Bankruptcy Code, and the Bankruptcy Court will retain jurisdiction under 28 U.S.C. §§ 157 and 1334 to estimate any such Claim, whether for allowance or to determine the maximum amount of such Claim, including during the litigation concerning any objection to any Claim or during the pendency of any appeal relating to any such objection. All of the aforementioned Claims objection, estimation and resolution procedures are cumulative and not exclusive of one another. Claims may be estimated and subsequently compromised, settled, withdrawn or resolved by any mechanism approved by the Bankruptcy Court. The rights and objections of all parties are reserved in connection with any such estimation.

4. No Filings of Proofs of Claim or Equity Interests

Except as otherwise provided in this Plan, Holders of Claims or Equity Interests, including the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee with respect to the Prepetition Notes Indentures and the Prepetition Notes and the DIP Agent with respect to the DIP Facility Claims, will not be required to File a proof of Claim or proof of interest, and no parties should File a proof of Claim or proof of interest. The Debtors do not intend to object in the Bankruptcy Court to the allowance of Claims Filed or Equity Interests Filed; provided, however, that the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, reserve the right to object to any Claim or Equity Interest (other than those that are Allowed under this Plan) that is entitled, or deemed to be entitled, to a distribution under this Plan or is rendered Unimpaired under this Plan. Instead, the Debtors intend to make distributions, as required by this Plan, in accordance with the books and records of the Debtors. Unless disputed by a Holder of a Claim or an Equity Interest, the amount set forth in the books and records of the Debtors will constitute the amount of the Allowed Claim or Allowed Equity Interest of such Holder. If any such Holder of a Claim or an Equity Interest disagrees with the Debtors' books and records with respect to the Allowed amount of such Holder's Claim or Equity Interest, such Holder must so advise the Debtors in writing, in which event the Claim or Equity Interest will become a Disputed Claim or a Disputed Equity Interest. The Debtors intend to attempt to resolve any such disputes consensually or through judicial means outside the Bankruptcy Court subject to the consent of the Required Consenting Noteholders. Nevertheless, the Debtors may, in their discretion and in consultation with the Ad Hoc Noteholder Committee, File with the Bankruptcy Court (or any other court of competent jurisdiction) an objection to the allowance of any Claim or Equity Interest (other than those that are Allowed under this Plan) or any other appropriate motion or adversary proceeding with respect thereto. All such objections will be litigated to Final Order; provided, however, that the Debtors may, with the consent of the Required Consenting Noteholders, compromise, settle, withdraw or resolve by any other method approved by the Bankruptcy Court any objections to Claims or Equity Interests.

B. No Distributions Pending Allowance

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Plan to the contrary, no payments or distributions of any kind or nature will be made with respect to all or any portion of a Disputed Claim or Disputed Equity Interest unless and until all objections to such Disputed Claim or

Disputed Equity Interest have been settled or withdrawn or have been determined by Final Order, and the Disputed Claim or Disputed Equity Interest is or becomes Allowed by Final Order; provided, that, notwithstanding the foregoing, payments or distributions under this Plan to Holders of Allowed Prepetition Notes Claims will be made in full on the Initial Distribution Date, regardless of whether such Holders hold any Disputed Claims.

C. Distributions on Account of Disputed Claims and Disputed Equity Interests Once They Are Allowed and Additional Distributions on Account of Previously Allowed Claims and Allowed Equity Interests

On each Subsequent Distribution Date (or such earlier date as determined by the Reorganized Debtors in their sole discretion), the Reorganized Debtors or other applicable Distribution Agent will make distributions (a) on account of any Disputed Claim and Disputed Equity Interest that has become Allowed during the preceding calendar quarter, and (b) on account of previously Allowed Claims and Allowed Equity Interests of property that would have been distributed to the Holders thereof on the dates distributions previously were made to Holders of Allowed Claims and Allowed Equity Interests in such Class had the Disputed Claims and Disputed Equity Interests that have become Allowed or disallowed been Allowed or disallowed, as applicable, on such dates. Such distributions will be made pursuant to the applicable provisions of Article VII of this Plan. For the avoidance of doubt, but without limiting the terms or conditions of Article VII.B or Paragraph B of this Article VIII, any dividends or other distributions arising from property distributed to holders of Allowed Claims and Allowed Equity Interests in a Class and paid to such Holders under this Plan will also be paid, in the applicable amounts, to any Holder of a Disputed Claim and Disputed Equity Interest in such Class that becomes Allowed after the date or dates that such dividends or other distributions were earlier paid to holders of Allowed Claims and Allowed Equity Interests in such Class.

D. Reserve for Disputed Claims and Disputed Equity Interests

The Debtors, the Reorganized Debtors, and the Distribution Agent may establish such appropriate reserves for Disputed Claims and Disputed Equity Interests in the applicable Class(es) as it determines necessary and appropriate, in each case with the consent of the Required Consenting Noteholders or as approved by order of the Bankruptcy Court. Without limiting the foregoing, reserves (if any) for Disputed Claims and Disputed Equity Interests will equal, as applicable, an amount of property equal to 100% of distributions to which Holders of Disputed Claims and Disputed Equity Interests in each applicable Class would otherwise be entitled under this Plan as of such date if such Disputed Claims and Disputed Equity Interests were Allowed based on the Debtors' books and records; provided, however, that the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, will have the right to file a motion seeking to estimate any Disputed Claims or Disputed Equity Interest.

ARTICLE IX.

CONDITIONS PRECEDENT TO CONFIRMATION AND CONSUMMATION OF THE PLAN

A. Conditions Precedent to Confirmation

Unless satisfied or waived pursuant to the provisions of <u>Article IX.C</u> hereof, the following are conditions precedent to Confirmation of this Plan.

- 1. This Plan and the Restructuring Documents are in form and substance acceptable to the Debtors and the Required Consenting Noteholders in the manner set forth in the Restructuring Support Agreement, and, to the extent required by the DIP Credit Agreement, in form and substance satisfactory or reasonably satisfactory, as applicable, to the DIP Agent and the DIP Required Lenders in the manner set forth in the DIP Financing Documents and otherwise consistent with the Restructuring Term Sheet and the Restructuring Support Agreement;
- 2. The Confirmation Order has been entered by the Bankruptcy Court, and such order is in form and substance consistent in all respects with the Restructuring Term Sheet and the Restructuring Support Agreement and otherwise reasonably acceptable to the Debtors and to the Required Consenting Noteholders in the manner set forth in the Restructuring Support Agreement and, to the extent required by the DIP Credit Agreement, in form and substance satisfactory or reasonably satisfactory, as applicable, to the DIP Agent and the DIP Required Lenders in the manner set forth in the DIP Financing Documents, and reasonably acceptable to the Committee with respect to the treatment of General Unsecured Claims; and
- 3. The Restructuring Support Agreement is in full force and effect and has not been terminated in accordance with its terms.

B. Conditions Precedent to Consummation

Unless satisfied or waived pursuant to the provisions of <u>Article IX.C</u> hereof, the following are conditions precedent to Consummation of this Plan.

- 1. The Confirmation Order has become a Final Order and such order has not been amended, modified, vacated, stayed, or reversed;
- 2. The Bankruptcy Court has entered one or more Final Orders (which may include the Confirmation Order), in form and substance acceptable to the Debtors and Required Consenting Noteholders, authorizing the assumption, assumption and assignment and rejection of the Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases by the Debtors as contemplated in this Plan and the Plan Supplement;
- 3. This Plan and the Restructuring Documents have not been amended or modified other than in a manner in form and substance consistent in all respects with the Restructuring Term Sheet, otherwise acceptable to the Debtors and the Required Consenting Noteholders in the manner set forth in the Restructuring Support Agreement and, to the extent required by the DIP Credit Agreement, in form and substance satisfactory or reasonably satisfactory, as applicable, to the DIP Agent and the DIP Required Lenders in the manner set forth in the DIP Financing Documents, and reasonably acceptable to the Committee with respect to the treatment of General Unsecured Claims;

- 4. The Restructuring Documents have been filed, tendered for delivery, and been effectuated or executed by all Entities party thereto (as appropriate), and in each case in full force and effect. All conditions precedent to the effectiveness of such Restructuring Documents, including, without limitation, the Exit Facility Credit Agreement and the Exit Senior Unsecured Notes Indenture, have been satisfied or waived pursuant to the terms of such applicable Restructuring Documents (or will be satisfied concurrently with the occurrence of the Effective Date) and such agreements have closed or will close simultaneously with the effectiveness of this Plan;
- 5. Any documents governing the Exit Senior Unsecured Notes, which shall be in form and substance acceptable to the Debtors and the Backstop Parties, each in their sole discretion, and otherwise reasonably satisfactory to the Required Consenting Noteholders, have become effective or will become effective concurrently with effectiveness of this Plan and all conditions precedent to issuance of the Exit Senior Unsecured Notes have been satisfied or waived;
- 6. All DIP Facility Claims have been indefeasibly paid in full in Cash, or will have been paid in full in Cash simultaneously with the effectiveness of this Plan, in accordance with the terms of the DIP Credit Agreement;
- 7. The Debtors have received, or concurrently with the occurrence of the Effective Date will receive, up to \$1,600,000,000, but no less than \$1,500,000,000 based on the amount of the Exit Facility commitments in excess of \$650,000,000, as contemplated in connection with the Backstop Commitment Agreement and the Rights Offering provided to the Prepetition Noteholders;
- 8. Any Amended/New Corporate Governance Documents, which shall be in form and substance acceptable to the Required Consenting Noteholders in their sole discretion, have become effective or will become effective concurrently with the effectiveness of this Plan;
- 9. The Irish Scheme of Arrangement has been approved by the High Court of Ireland, or such other structure as is reasonably acceptable to the Required Consenting Noteholders and, solely to the extent the Irish Scheme of Arrangement has an adverse impact on the treatment of General Unsecured Creditors, the Committee (with such consent not to be unreasonably withheld), and to the extent required by the DIP Credit Agreement, the DIP Agent and the DIP Required Lenders, and has become effective in accordance with its terms or will become effective concurrently with effectiveness of this Plan;
- 10. The appointment of provisional liquidators has been approved and the implementation of a scheme of arrangement in Bermuda under section 99 of the Companies Act 1981 of Bermuda has been sanctioned by the Bermuda court, or such other structure as is reasonably acceptable to the Required Consenting Noteholders and, solely to the extent the scheme of arrangement has an adverse impact on the treatment of General Unsecured Creditors, the Committee (with such consent not to be unreasonably withheld), and to the extent required by the DIP Credit Agreement, the DIP Agent and the DIP Required Lenders, and has become effective in accordance with its terms or will become effective concurrently with effectiveness of this Plan.

- 11. All consents, actions, documents, certificates and agreements necessary to implement this Plan and the transactions contemplated by this Plan have been, as applicable, obtained and not otherwise subject to unfulfilled conditions, effected or executed and delivered to the required parties and, to the extent required, filed with the applicable governmental units in accordance with applicable laws, and in each case in full force and effect;
- 12. All governmental approvals and consents, including Bankruptcy Court approval and Irish Takeover Panel approval, that are applicable and legally required for the consummation of this Plan have been obtained, not be subject to unfulfilled conditions and be in full force and effect, and, to the extent applicable, all applicable waiting periods under the Hart-Scott-Rodino Antitrust Improvements Act of 1976, as amended, and any foreign jurisdictions has expired;
- 13. The New Board has been selected in accordance with the Restructuring Support Agreement;
- 14. The Executive Arrangements, as defined in the Restructuring Support Agreement, relating to change in control and severance matters have been modified in a manner acceptable to the Required Consenting Noteholders;
- 15. The Restructuring Support Agreement is in full force and effect and has not been terminated in accordance with its terms:
- 16. The Professional Fee Claim Reserve has been funded in full in Cash by the Debtors in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Plan;
- 17. The DIP Final Order is in full force and effect and there are no events of default existing and continuing thereunder or under the DIP Financing Documents; and
- 18. To the extent invoiced, (a) all Ad Hoc Noteholder Committee Fees and Expenses have been paid in full in Cash and (b) all Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee Fees and Expenses have been paid in full in Cash.

C. Waiver of Conditions

Subject to section 1127 of the Bankruptcy Code, the conditions to Confirmation and Consummation of this Plan set forth in this <u>Article IX</u> may be waived by the Debtors, with the consent of the Required Consenting Noteholders in the manner set forth in the Restructuring Support Agreement and in consultation with the Committee, or, to the extent such waiver adversely impacts the treatment of the General Unsecured Claims, with the reasonable consent of the Committee, or, in the case of Article IX.B.14 and B.18(a), the Required Consenting Noteholders (and solely with respect to the payment of the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee Fees and Expenses in Article IX.B.19(b), the Prepetition Notes Indenture Trustee) in their sole discretion, without notice, leave or order of the Bankruptcy Court or any formal action other than proceeding to confirm or consummate this Plan. The failure of the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors to exercise any of the foregoing rights will not be deemed a waiver of any other rights, and each right will be deemed an ongoing right that may be asserted at any time.

D. Effect of Non-Occurrence of Conditions to Confirmation or Consummation

If the Confirmation or the Consummation of this Plan does not occur with respect to one or more of the Debtors, then this Plan will, with respect to such applicable Debtor or Debtors, be null and void in all respects and nothing contained in this Plan or the Disclosure Statement will: (1) constitute a waiver or release of any claims by or Claims against or Equity Interests in the Debtors; (2) prejudice in any manner the rights of the Debtors, any Holders or any other Entity; (3) constitute an Allowance of any Claim or Equity Interest; or (4) constitute an admission, acknowledgment, offer or undertaking by the Debtors, any Holders or any other Entity in any respect.

ARTICLE X.

RELEASE, DISCHARGE, INJUNCTION AND RELATED PROVISIONS

A. General

Pursuant to section 1123 of the Bankruptcy Code, and in consideration for the classification, distributions, releases and other benefits provided under this Plan, upon the Effective Date, the provisions of this Plan shall constitute a good faith compromise and settlement of all Claims and Equity Interests and controversies resolved pursuant to this Plan. The entry of the Confirmation Order shall constitute the Bankruptcy Court's approval of the compromise or settlement of all such Claims, Equity Interests and controversies, as well as a finding by the Bankruptcy Court that any such compromise or settlement is in the best interests of the Debtors, their Estates, and any Holders of Claims and Equity Interests and is fair, equitable and reasonable.

Notwithstanding anything contained herein to the contrary, the allowance, classification and treatment of all Allowed Claims and Equity Interests and their respective distributions (if any) and treatments hereunder, takes into account the relative priority and rights of the Claims and the Equity Interests in each Class in connection with any contractual, legal and equitable subordination rights relating thereto whether arising under general principles of equitable subordination, section 510 of the Bankruptcy Code or otherwise. As of the Effective Date, any and all contractual, legal and equitable subordination rights, whether arising under general principles of equitable subordination, section 510 of the Bankruptcy Code or otherwise, relating to the allowance, classification and treatment of all Allowed Claims and Equity Interests and their respective distributions (if any) and treatments hereunder, are settled, compromised, terminated and released pursuant hereto; *provided*, *however*, that nothing contained herein shall preclude any Person or Entity from exercising their rights pursuant to and consistent with the terms of this Plan and the contracts, instruments, releases, indentures, and other agreements or documents delivered under or in connection with this Plan.

B. Release of Claims and Causes of Action

1. <u>Release by the Debtors and their Estates.</u> Pursuant to section 1123(b) and any other applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, and except as otherwise expressly provided in this Plan (including with respect to retained Litigation Claims as provided in Article X.F below), effective as of the Effective Date, for good and valuable consideration provided by each of the Released Parties, the adequacy and sufficiency of which is hereby confirmed, the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors, in their respective individual

capacities and as debtors-in-possession, and on behalf of themselves and their respective Estates, including, without limitation, any successor to the Debtors or any Estate representative appointed or selected pursuant to section 1123(b)(3) of the Bankruptcy Code (collectively, the "Debtor Releasing Parties") shall be deemed to have conclusively, absolutely, unconditionally, irrevocably, and forever provided a full discharge, waiver and release to each of the Released Parties (and each such Released Party so released shall be deemed forever released, waived and discharged by the Debtor Releasing Parties) and their respective assets and properties (the "Debtor Release") from any and all Claims, Causes of Action, Litigation Claims and any other debts, obligations, rights, suits, damages, actions, remedies, and liabilities whatsoever, whether known or unknown, foreseen or unforeseen, whether directly or derivatively held, existing as of the Effective Date or thereafter arising, in law, at equity or otherwise, whether for tort, contract, violations of federal or state securities laws, or otherwise, based in whole or in part upon any act or omission, transaction, or other occurrence or circumstances existing or taking place prior to or on the Effective Date arising from or related in any way in whole or in part to any of the Debtors or their Affiliates, including, without limitation, (i) the Chapter 11 Cases, the Disclosure Statement, this Plan, the Restructuring Support Agreement, the Restructuring Documents, and the DIP Financing Documents, (ii) the subject matter of, or the transactions or events giving rise to, any Claim or Equity Interest that is treated in this Plan, (iii) the business or contractual arrangements between any Debtor and any Released Parties, (iv) the negotiation, formulation or preparation of the Restructuring Support Agreement, this Plan, the Disclosure Statement, the Plan Supplement, the Restructuring Documents, the DIP Financing Documents, or related agreements, instruments or other documents, (v) the restructuring of Claims or Equity Interests prior to or during the Chapter 11 Cases, (vi) the purchase, sale, or rescission of the purchase or sale of any Equity Interest of the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors, and/or (vii) the Confirmation or Consummation of this Plan or the solicitation of votes on this Plan that such Debtor Releasing Party would have been legally entitled to assert (whether individually or collectively) or that any Holder of a Claim or Equity Interest or other Entity would have been legally entitled to assert for, or on behalf or in the name of, any Debtor, its respective Estate or any Reorganized Debtor (whether directly or derivatively) against any of the Released Parties; provided, however, that the foregoing provisions of this Debtor Release shall not operate to waive or release: (i) any Causes of Action arising from willful misconduct, actual fraud, or gross negligence of such applicable Released Party as determined by Final Order of the Bankruptcy Court or any other court of competent jurisdiction; and/or (ii) the rights of such Debtor Releasing Party to enforce this Plan and the contracts, instruments, releases, indentures, and other agreements or documents delivered under or in connection with this Plan or assumed pursuant to this Plan or assumed pursuant to Final Order of the Bankruptcy Court. The foregoing release shall be effective as of the Effective Date without further notice to or order of the Bankruptcy Court, act or action under applicable law, regulation, order, or rule or the vote, consent, authorization or approval of any Person and the Confirmation Order shall permanently enjoin the commencement or prosecution by any Person or Entity, whether directly, derivatively or otherwise, of any claims, obligations, suits, judgments, damages, demands, debts, rights, Causes of Action, or liabilities released pursuant to this Debtor Release. Notwithstanding the foregoing, nothing in this Article X.B shall or shall be deemed to (i) prohibit the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors from asserting and enforcing any claims,

obligations, suits, judgments, demands, debts, rights, Causes of Action or liabilities they may have against any Person that is based upon an alleged breach of a confidentiality or noncompete obligation owed to the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors and/or (ii) operate as a release or waiver of any Intercompany Claims or any obligations of any Entity arising after the Effective Date under the Exit Facility Loan Documents or any document, instrument or agreement set forth in the Plan Supplement, in each case unless otherwise expressly provided for in this Plan.

Entry of the Confirmation Order shall constitute the Bankruptcy Court's approval, pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 9019, of the Debtor Release, which includes by reference each of the related provisions and definitions contained herein, and further, shall constitute the Bankruptcy Court's finding that the Debtor Release is: (i) in exchange for the good and valuable consideration provided by the Released Parties; (ii) a good faith settlement and compromise of the Claims released by the Debtor Release; (iii) in the best interest of the Debtors and their Estates; (iv) fair, equitable and reasonable; and (v) given and made after due notice and opportunity for hearing.

Release By Third Parties. Except as otherwise expressly provided in this Plan, effective as of the Effective Date, to the fullest extent permitted by applicable law, for good and valuable consideration provided by each of the Released Parties, the adequacy and sufficiency of which is hereby confirmed, and without limiting or otherwise modifying the scope of the Debtor Release provided by the Debtor Releasing Parties above, each Non-Debtor Releasing Party (together with the Debtor Releasing Parties, the "Releasing Parties") shall be deemed to have conclusively, absolutely, unconditionally, irrevocably, and forever provided a full discharge, waiver and release to each of the Released Parties (and each such Released Party so released shall be deemed forever released, waived and discharged by the Non-Debtor Releasing Parties) and their respective assets and properties (the "Third Party Release") from any and all Claims, Causes of Action, Litigation Claims and any other debts, obligations, rights, suits, damages, actions, remedies, and liabilities whatsoever, whether known or unknown, foreseen or unforeseen, whether directly or derivatively held, existing as of the Effective Date or thereafter arising, in law, at equity or otherwise, whether for tort, contract, violations of federal or state securities laws, or otherwise, based in whole or in part upon any act or omission, transaction, or other occurrence or circumstances existing or taking place prior to or on the Effective Date arising from or related in any way in whole or in part to any of the Debtors or their Affiliates, including, without limitation, (i) the Chapter 11 Cases, the Disclosure Statement, this Plan, the Restructuring Support Agreement, the Restructuring Documents, and the DIP Financing Documents, (ii) the subject matter of, or the transactions or events giving rise to, any Claim or Equity Interest that is treated in this Plan, (iii) the business or contractual arrangements between any Debtor and any Released Parties, (iv) the negotiation, formulation or preparation of the Restructuring Support Agreement, this Plan, the Disclosure Statement, the Plan Supplement, the Restructuring Documents, the DIP Financing Documents, or related agreements, instruments or other documents, (v) the restructuring of Claims or Equity Interests prior to or during the Chapter 11 Cases, (vi) the purchase, sale or rescission of the purchase or sale of any Equity Interest of the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors, and/or (vii) the Confirmation or Consummation of this Plan or the solicitation of votes on this Plan that such Non-Debtor Releasing Party would have been legally entitled to assert (whether individually or collectively) against any of the Released Parties; provided, however, that the foregoing provisions of this Third Party

Release shall not operate to waive or release (i) any Causes of Action arising from willful misconduct, actual fraud, or gross negligence of such applicable Released Party as determined by Final Order of the Bankruptcy Court or any other court of competent jurisdiction; (ii) any Unimpaired Class 8 General Unsecured Claims, and/or (iii) the rights of such Non-Debtor Releasing Party to enforce this Plan and the contracts, instruments, releases, indentures, and other agreements and documents delivered under or in connection with this Plan or assumed pursuant to this Plan or Final Order of the Bankruptcy Court; and/or (iv) any obligations of any Entity arising after the Effective Date under the Exit Facility Loan Documents or any document, instrument or agreement set forth in the Plan Supplement. The foregoing release shall be effective as of the Effective Date without further notice to or order of the Bankruptcy Court, act or action under applicable law, regulation, order, or rule or the vote, consent, authorization or approval of any Person and the Confirmation Order shall permanently enjoin the commencement or prosecution by any Person or Entity, whether directly, derivatively or otherwise, of any claims, obligations, suits, judgments, damages, demands, debts, rights, Causes of Action, or liabilities released pursuant to this Third Party Release.

Entry of the Confirmation Order shall constitute the Bankruptcy Court's approval of the Third Party Release, which includes by reference each of the related provisions and definitions contained herein, and further, shall constitute the Bankruptcy Court's finding that the Third Party Release is: (i) in exchange for the good and valuable consideration provided by the Released Parties; (ii) a good faith settlement and compromise of the Claims released by the Third Party Release; (iii) in the best interest of the Debtors and all Holders of Claims and Equity Interests; (iv) fair, equitable and reasonable; and (v) given and made after due notice and opportunity for hearing.

C. Waiver of Statutory Limitations on Releases

Each of the Releasing Parties in each of the releases contained above expressly acknowledges that although ordinarily a general release may not extend to Claims which the Releasing Party does not know or suspect to exist in its favor, which if known by it may have materially affected its settlement with the party released, they have carefully considered and taken into account in determining to enter into the above releases the possible existence of such unknown losses or claims. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, each Releasing Party expressly waives any and all rights conferred upon it by any statute or rule of law which provides that a release does not extend to claims which the claimant does not know or suspect to exist in its favor at the time of providing the release, which if known by it may have materially affected its settlement with the released party. The releases contained in this Plan are effective regardless of whether those released matters are presently known, unknown, suspected or unsuspected, foreseen or unforeseen.

D. Discharge of Claims and Equity Interests

To the fullest extent provided under section 1141(d)(1)(A) and other applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, except as otherwise expressly provided by this Plan (including, without limitation, <u>Article V.D</u> and <u>V.E</u> of this Plan) or the Confirmation Order, effective as of the Effective Date, all consideration distributed under this Plan shall be in exchange for, and in complete satisfaction, settlement, discharge, and release of, all Claims, Equity Interests and Causes

of Action of any kind or nature whatsoever against the Debtors or any of their respective assets or properties, including any interest accrued on such Claims or Equity Interests from and after the Petition Date, and regardless of whether any property shall have been abandoned by order of the Bankruptcy Court, distributed or retained pursuant to this Plan on account of such Claims, Equity Interests or Causes of Action.

Except as otherwise expressly provided by this Plan (including, without limitation, <u>Article V.D</u> and <u>V.E</u> of this Plan) or the Confirmation Order, upon the Effective Date, the Debtors and their Estates shall be deemed discharged and released under and to the fullest extent provided under sections 524 and 1141(d)(1)(A) and other applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code from any and all Claims of any kind or nature whatsoever, including, but not limited to, demands and liabilities that arose before the Confirmation Date, and all debts of the kind specified in sections 502(g), 502(h), or 502(i) of the Bankruptcy Code. Such discharge shall void any judgment obtained against the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors at any time, to the extent that such judgment relates to a discharged Claim.

Except as otherwise expressly provided by this Plan (including, without limitation, Article V.D and V.E of this Plan) or the Confirmation Order, upon the Effective Date: (i) the rights afforded herein and the treatment of all Claims and Equity Interests shall be in exchange for and in complete satisfaction, settlement, discharge, and release of all Claims and Equity Interests of any nature whatsoever, including any interest accrued on such Claims from and after the Petition Date, against the Debtors or any of their respective assets, property, or Estates; (ii) all Claims and Equity Interests shall be satisfied, discharged, and released in full, and each of the Debtor's liability with respect thereto shall be extinguished completely without further notice or action; and (iii) all Entities shall be precluded from asserting against the Debtors, the Estates, the Reorganized Debtors, each of their respective successors and assigns, and each of their respective assets and properties, any such Claims or Equity Interests, whether based upon any documents, instruments or any act or omission, transaction, or other activity of any kind or nature that occurred prior to the Effective Date or otherwise.

E. Exculpation

Effective as of the Effective Date, to the fullest extent permitted by law, the Exculpated Parties shall neither have nor incur any liability to any Person or Entity for any claims or Causes of Action arising prior to or on the Effective Date for any act taken or omitted to be taken in connection with, or related to, formulating, negotiating, preparing, disseminating, implementing, administering, confirming or effecting the Confirmation or Consummation of this Plan, the Disclosure Statement, the Restructuring Documents, the DIP Financing Documents, or any contract, instrument, release or other agreement or document created or entered into in connection with this Plan, including the Restructuring Support Agreement, or any other prepetition or postpetition act taken or omitted to be taken in connection with or in contemplation of the restructuring of the Debtors, the approval of the Disclosure Statement or Confirmation or Consummation of this Plan; provided, however, that the foregoing provisions of this exculpation shall not operate to waive or release: (i) any Causes of Action arising from willful misconduct, actual fraud, or gross negligence of such applicable Exculpated Party as determined by Final Order of the Bankruptcy Court or any other court of competent jurisdiction; and/or (ii) the rights of any Person or Entity to enforce this Plan and the contracts, instruments, releases, indentures, and other agreements and documents delivered under or in connection with this Plan or assumed pursuant to

this Plan or Final Order of the Bankruptcy Court; <u>provided</u>, <u>further</u>, that each Exculpated Party shall be entitled to rely upon the advice of counsel concerning its respective duties pursuant to, or in connection with, the above referenced documents, actions or inactions. The foregoing exculpation shall be effective as of the Effective Date without further notice to or order of the Bankruptcy Court, act or action under applicable law, regulation, order, or rule or the vote, consent, authorization or approval of any Person. Notwithstanding the foregoing, nothing in this <u>Article X.E</u> shall or shall be deemed to prohibit the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors from asserting and enforcing any claims, obligations, suits, judgments, demands, debts, rights, Causes of Action or liabilities they may have against any Person that is based upon an alleged breach of a confidentiality or non-compete obligation owed to the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors, in each case unless otherwise expressly provided for in this Plan.

F. Preservation of Causes of Action

1. Maintenance of Causes of Action

Except as otherwise provided in this Article X (including, without limitation, and for the avoidance of doubt, the Releases contained in Article X.B and Exculpation contained in Article X.E hereof) or elsewhere in this Plan or the Confirmation Order, after the Effective Date, the Reorganized Debtors shall retain all rights to commence, pursue, litigate or settle, as appropriate, any and all Litigation Claims, whether existing as of the Petition Date or thereafter arising, in any court or other tribunal including, without limitation, in an adversary proceeding Filed in the Chapter 11 Cases. The Reorganized Debtors, as the successors-in-interest to the Debtors and the Estates, may, and shall have the exclusive right to, enforce, sue on, settle, compromise, transfer or assign (or decline to do any of the foregoing) any or all of such Litigation Claims without notice to or approval from the Bankruptcy Court.

2. Preservation of All Causes of Action Not Expressly Settled or Released

The Debtors expressly reserve all Causes of Action and Litigation Claims for later adjudication by the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors (including, without limitation, Causes of Action and Litigation Claims not specifically identified or of which the Debtors may presently be unaware or which may arise or exist by reason of additional facts or circumstances unknown to the Debtors at this time or facts or circumstances that may change or be different from those the Debtors now believe to exist) and, therefore, no preclusion doctrine, including, without limitation, the doctrines of res judicata, collateral estoppel, issue preclusion, claim preclusion, waiver, estoppel (judicial, equitable or otherwise) or laches shall apply to such Causes of Action or Litigation Claims upon or after the Confirmation or Consummation of this Plan based on the Disclosure Statement, this Plan or the Confirmation Order, except in each case where such Causes of Action or Litigation Claims have been expressly waived, relinquished, released, compromised or settled in this Plan (including, without limitation, and for the avoidance of doubt, the Releases contained in Article X.B and Exculpation contained in Article X.E hereof) or any other Final Order (including, without limitation, the Confirmation Order). In addition, the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors expressly reserve the right to pursue or adopt any claims alleged in any lawsuit in which any of the Debtors are a plaintiff, defendant or an interested party, against any Person or Entity, including, without limitation, the plaintiffs or co-defendants in such lawsuits.

G. Injunction

EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE EXPRESSLY PROVIDED IN THIS PLAN OR THE CONFIRMATION ORDER, INCLUDING SPECIFICALLY WITH RESPECT TO CLASS 8 GENERAL UNSECURED CLAIMS AND FOR THE AVOIDANCE OF DOUBT, SUBJECT TO ARTICLE III.C, FROM AND AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE, ALL PERSONS AND ENTITIES ARE, TO THE FULLEST EXTENT PROVIDED UNDER SECTION 524 AND OTHER APPLICABLE PROVISIONS OF THE BANKRUPTCY CODE, PERMANENTLY ENJOINED FROM (I) COMMENCING OR CONTINUING, IN ANY MANNER OR IN ANY PLACE, ANY SUIT, ACTION OR OTHER PROCEEDING; (II) ENFORCING, ATTACHING, COLLECTING, OR RECOVERING IN ANY MANNER ANY JUDGMENT, AWARD, DECREE, OR ORDER; (III) CREATING, PERFECTING, OR ENFORCING ANY LIEN OR ENCUMBRANCE; (IV) ASSERTING A SETOFF OR RIGHT OF SUBROGATION OF ANY KIND; OR (V) COMMENCING OR CONTINUING IN ANY MANNER ANY ACTION OR OTHER PROCEEDING OF ANY KIND. IN EACH CASE ON ACCOUNT OF OR WITH RESPECT TO ANY CLAIM, DEMAND, LIABILITY, OBLIGATION, DEBT. RIGHT, CAUSE OF ACTION, EQUITY INTEREST, OR REMEDY RELEASED OR TO BE RELEASED, EXCULPATED OR TO BE EXCULPATED. SETTLED OR TO BE SETTLED OR DISCHARGED OR TO BE DISCHARGED PURSUANT TO THIS PLAN OR THE CONFIRMATION ORDER AGAINST ANY PERSON OR ENTITY SO RELEASED, DISCHARGED, OR EXCULPATED (OR THE PROPERTY OR ESTATE OF ANY PERSON OR ENTITY SO RELEASED, DISCHARGED, OR EXCULPATED). ALL INJUNCTIONS OR STAYS PROVIDED FOR IN THE CHAPTER 11 CASES UNDER SECTION 105 OR SECTION 362 OF THE BANKRUPTCY CODE, OR OTHERWISE, AND IN EXISTENCE ON THE CONFIRMATION DATE, SHALL REMAIN IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT UNTIL THE EFFECTIVE DATE.

H. Binding Nature of Plan

ON THE EFFECTIVE DATE, AND EFFECTIVE AS OF THE EFFECTIVE DATE, THIS PLAN SHALL BIND, AND SHALL BE DEEMED BINDING UPON, THE DEBTORS, THE REORGANIZED DEBTORS, ANY AND ALL HOLDERS OF CLAIMS AGAINST AND EQUITY INTERESTS IN THE DEBTORS, ALL PERSONS AND ENTITIES THAT ARE PARTIES TO OR ARE SUBJECT TO THE SETTLEMENTS, COMPROMISES, RELEASES, DISCHARGES, AND INJUNCTIONS DESCRIBED IN THIS PLAN, EACH PERSON AND ENTITY ACQUIRING PROPERTY UNDER THIS PLAN, ANY AND ALL NON-DEBTOR PARTIES TO EXECUTORY CONTRACTS AND UNEXPIRED LEASES WITH THE DEBTORS AND THE RESPECTIVE SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS OF EACH OF THE FOREGOING, TO THE MAXIMUM EXTENT PERMITTED BY APPLICABLE LAW, AND NOTWITHSTANDING WHETHER OR NOT SUCH PERSON OR ENTITY (I) SHALL RECEIVE OR RETAIN ANY PROPERTY. OR INTEREST IN PROPERTY, UNDER THIS PLAN, (II) HAS FILED A PROOF OF CLAIM OR INTEREST IN THE CHAPTER 11 CASES OR (III) FAILED TO VOTE TO ACCEPT OR REJECT THIS PLAN, AFFIRMATIVELY VOTED TO REJECT THIS PLAN OR IS CONCLUSIVELY PRESUMED TO REJECT THIS PLAN.

I. Protection Against Discriminatory Treatment

To the extent provided by section 525 of the Bankruptcy Code and the Supremacy Clause of the United States Constitution, all Persons and Entities, including Governmental Units, shall not discriminate against the Reorganized Debtors or deny, revoke, suspend or refuse to renew a license, permit, charter, franchise or other similar grant to, condition such a grant to, discriminate with respect to such a grant, against the Reorganized Debtors, or another Person or Entity with whom the Reorganized Debtors have been associated, solely because any Debtor has been a debtor under chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code, has been insolvent before the commencement of the Chapter 11 Cases (or during the Chapter 11 Cases but before the Debtors are granted or denied a discharge) or has not paid a debt that is dischargeable in the Chapter 11 Cases.

J. Integral Part of Plan

Each of the provisions set forth in this Plan with respect to the settlement, release, discharge, exculpation, injunction, indemnification and insurance of, for or with respect to Claims and/or Causes of Action are an integral part of this Plan and essential to its implementation. Accordingly, each Entity that is a beneficiary of such provision shall have the right to independently seek to enforce such provision and such provision may not be amended, modified, or waived after the Effective Date without the prior written consent of such beneficiary.

ARTICLE XI.

RETENTION OF JURISDICTION

Pursuant to sections 105(c) and 1142 of the Bankruptcy Code and notwithstanding the entry of the Confirmation Order and the occurrence of the Effective Date, the Bankruptcy Court will, on and after the Effective Date, retain exclusive jurisdiction over the Chapter 11 Cases and all Entities with respect to all matters related to the Chapter 11 Cases, the Debtors and this Plan as legally permissible, including, without limitation, jurisdiction to:

- 1. allow, disallow, determine, liquidate, classify, estimate or establish the priority or secured or unsecured status of any Claim or Equity Interest, including, without limitation, the resolution of any request for payment of any Administrative Claim and the resolution of any and all objections to the allowance or priority of any such Claim or Equity Interest;
- 2. grant or deny any applications for allowance of compensation or reimbursement of expenses authorized pursuant to the Bankruptcy Code or this Plan, for periods ending on or before the Effective Date; *provided*, *however*, that, from and after the Effective Date, the Reorganized Debtors will pay Professionals in the ordinary course of business for any work performed after the Effective Date and such payment will not be subject to the approval of the Bankruptcy Court;
- 3. resolve any matters related to the assumption, assignment or rejection of any Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease and to adjudicate and, if necessary, liquidate, any Claims arising therefrom, including, without limitation, those matters related to any amendment to this Plan after the Effective Date to add Executory Contracts or Unexpired Leases to the list of Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases to be assumed or rejected (as applicable);
 - 4. resolve any issues related to any matters adjudicated in the Chapter 11 Cases;

- 5. ensure that distributions to Holders of Allowed Claims or Allowed Equity Interests are accomplished pursuant to the provisions of this Plan;
- 6. decide or resolve any motions, adversary proceedings, contested or litigated matters and any other Causes of Action that are pending as of the Effective Date or that may be commenced in the future, and grant or deny any applications involving the Debtors that may be pending on the Effective Date or instituted by the Reorganized Debtors after the Effective Date, *provided*, *however* that the Reorganized Debtors will reserve the right to commence actions in all appropriate forums and jurisdictions;
- 7. enter such orders as may be necessary or appropriate to implement or consummate the provisions of this Plan and all other contracts, instruments, releases, indentures and other agreements or documents adopted in connection with this Plan, the Plan Supplement or the Disclosure Statement:
- 8. resolve any cases, controversies, suits or disputes that may arise in connection with the Consummation, interpretation or enforcement of this Plan or any Person or Entity's obligations incurred in connection with this Plan;
- 9. hear and determine all Causes of Action that are pending as of the Effective Date or that may be commenced in the future;
- 10. issue injunctions and enforce them, enter and implement other orders or take such other actions as may be necessary or appropriate to restrain interference by any Person or Entity with Consummation or enforcement of this Plan;
- 11. enforce the terms and conditions of this Plan, the Confirmation Order, and the Restructuring Documents;
- 12. resolve any cases, controversies, suits or disputes with respect to the Release, the Exculpation, the indemnification and other provisions contained in <u>Article X</u> hereof and enter such orders or take such others actions as may be necessary or appropriate to implement or enforce all such provisions;
 - 13. hear and determine all Litigation Claims;
- 14. enter and implement such orders or take such other actions as may be necessary or appropriate if the Confirmation Order is modified, stayed, reversed, revoked or vacated;
- 15. resolve any other matters that may arise in connection with or relate to this Plan, the Disclosure Statement, the Confirmation Order or any release or exculpation adopted in connection with this Plan; and
 - 16. enter an order concluding or closing the Chapter 11 Cases.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, (i) any dispute arising under or in connection with the Exit Loan Facility or the Exit Senior Unsecured Notes Indenture or any other contract or agreement binding on the Reorganized Debtors that contains provisions governing jurisdiction for litigation

of disputes thereunder will be addressed in accordance with the provisions of the applicable document and (ii) if the Bankruptcy Court abstains from exercising, or declines to exercise, jurisdiction or is otherwise without jurisdiction over any matter arising in, arising under, or related to the Chapter 11 Cases, including the matters set forth in this Article of this Plan, the provisions of this <u>Article XI</u> will have no effect upon and will not control, prohibit, or limit the exercise of jurisdiction by any other court having jurisdiction with respect to such matter.

ARTICLE XII.

MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

A. Substantial Consummation

"Substantial Consummation" of this Plan, as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 1101(2), will be deemed to occur on the Effective Date.

B. Payment of Statutory Fees; Post-Effective Date Fees and Expenses

All fees payable pursuant to section 1930 (a) of the Judicial Code, as determined by the Bankruptcy Court at a hearing pursuant to section 1128 of the Bankruptcy Code to the extent necessary, shall be paid by each of the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors (or the Distribution Agent on behalf of each of the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors), as applicable, for each quarter (including any fraction thereof) until the earliest to occur of the entry of (a) a final decree closing such Debtor's Chapter 11 Case, (b) an order dismissing such Debtor's Chapter 11 Case, or (c) an order converting such Debtor's Chapter 11 Case to a case under chapter 7 of the Bankruptcy Code.

The Reorganized Debtors will pay the liabilities and charges that they incur on or after the Effective Date for Professionals' fees, disbursements, expenses, or related support services (including reasonable fees, costs and expenses incurred by Professionals relating to the preparation of interim and final fee applications and obtaining Bankruptcy Court approval thereof) in the ordinary course of business and without application or notice to, or order of, the Bankruptcy Court, including, without limitation, the reasonable fees, expenses, and disbursements of the Distribution Agents and the fees, costs and expenses incurred by Professionals in connection with the implementation, enforcement and Consummation of this Plan and the Restructuring Documents.

C. Statutory Committee

On the Effective Date, the current and former members of the Committee, and their respective officers, employees, counsel, advisors and agents, will be released and discharged of and from all further authority, duties, responsibilities and obligations related to and arising from and in connection with the Chapter 11 Cases and the Committee will dissolve; provided, however, that following the Effective Date, the Committee will continue in existence and have standing and a right to be heard for the following limited purposes: (i) pursuing claims and final fee applications filed pursuant to sections 330 and 331 of the Bankruptcy Code in accordance with Article II.A; and (ii) any appeals of the Confirmation Order or other appeal to which the Committee is a party Following the completion of the Committee's remaining duties set forth above, the Committee will be dissolved, and the retention or employment of the Committee's respective attorneys, accountants and other agents will terminate without further notice to, or action by, any Entity.

D. Conflicts

In the event that a provision of the Restructuring Documents or the Disclosure Statement (including any and all exhibits and attachments thereto) conflicts with a provision of this Plan or the Confirmation Order, the provision of this Plan and the Confirmation Order (as applicable) will govern and control to the extent of such conflict. In the event that a provision of this Plan conflicts with a provision of the Confirmation Order, the provision of the Confirmation Order will govern and control to the extent of such conflict.

E. Modification of Plan

Effective as of the date hereof and subject to the limitations and rights contained in this Plan: (a) the Debtors reserve the right, in accordance with the Bankruptcy Code and the Bankruptcy Rules, to amend or modify this Plan prior to the entry of the Confirmation Order in a way that is in form and substance consistent in all material respects with the Restructuring Term Sheet and otherwise acceptable to the Debtors and the Required Consenting Noteholders in the manner set forth in the Restructuring Support Agreement, and to the extent required by the DIP Credit Agreement, shall be in form and substance satisfactory or reasonably satisfactory, as applicable, to the DIP Agent and the DIP Required Lenders in the manner set forth in the DIP Financing Documents, in accordance with section 1127(a) of the Bankruptcy Code, and in consultation with the Committee, provided that, if such amendment or modification adversely impacts the treatment of General Unsecured Claims, such modification or amendment shall require the consent of the Committee, not to be unreasonably withheld; and (b) after the entry of the Confirmation Order, the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, may, upon order of the Bankruptcy Court, amend or modify this Plan in a way that is in form and substance consistent in all material respects with the Restructuring Term Sheet and otherwise acceptable to the Debtors and the Required Consenting Noteholders in the manner set forth in the Restructuring Support Agreement, and to the extent required by the DIP Credit Agreement, shall be in form and substance satisfactory or reasonably satisfactory, as applicable, to the DIP Agent and the DIP Required Lenders in the manner set forth in the DIP Financing Documents, in accordance with section 1127(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, and in consultation with the Committee, provided that, if such amendment or modification adversely impacts the treatment of General Unsecured Claims, such modification or amendment shall require the consent of the Committee, not to be unreasonably withheld, or to remedy any defect or omission or reconcile any inconsistency in this Plan in such manner as may be necessary to carry out the purpose and intent of this Plan. A Holder of a Claim or Equity Interest that has accepted this Plan will be deemed to have accepted this Plan, as altered, amended or modified, if the proposed alteration, amendment or modification does not materially and adversely change the treatment of the Claim or Equity Interest of such Holder.

F. Revocation or Withdrawal of Plan

The Debtors reserve the right to revoke or withdraw this Plan prior to the Effective Date and/or to File subsequent chapter 11 plans, with respect to one or more of the Debtors. If the Debtors revoke or withdraw this Plan, or if Confirmation or Consummation of this Plan does not occur with respect to one or more of the Debtors, then with respect to the applicable Debtor or Debtors for which this Plan was revoked or withdrawn or for which Confirmation or Consummation of this Plan did not occur: (1) this Plan will be null and void in all respects; (2) any settlement or compromise embodied in this Plan, assumption or rejection of Executory Contracts

or Unexpired Leases effected by this Plan and any document or agreement executed pursuant hereto will be deemed null and void except as may be set forth in a separate order entered by the Bankruptcy Court; and (3) nothing contained in this Plan will: (a) constitute a waiver or release of any Claims by or against, or any Equity Interests in, the applicable Debtors or any other Entity; (b) prejudice in any manner the rights of the applicable Debtors or any other Entity; or (c) constitute an admission, acknowledgement, offer or undertaking of any sort by the applicable Debtors or any other Entity.

G. Successors and Assigns

This Plan will be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the Debtors, the Reorganized Debtors, all present and former Holders of Claims and Equity Interests, other parties-in-interest, and their respective heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and assigns. The rights, benefits, and obligations of any Person or Entity named or referred to in this Plan will be binding on, and will inure to the benefit of, any heir, executor, administrator, successor, or assign of such Person or Entity.

H. Reservation of Rights

Except as expressly set forth herein, this Plan will have no force or effect unless and until the Bankruptcy Court enters the Confirmation Order and this Plan is Consummated. Neither the filing of this Plan, any statement or provision contained herein, nor the taking of any action by the Debtors or any other Entity with respect to this Plan will be or will be deemed to be an admission or waiver of any rights of: (1) the Debtors with respect to the Holders of Claims or Equity Interests or other Entity; or (2) any Holder of a Claim or an Equity Interest or other Entity prior to the Effective Date.

I. Further Assurances

The Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, all Holders of Claims receiving distributions hereunder and all other Entities will, from time to time, prepare, execute and deliver any agreements or documents and take any other actions as may be necessary or advisable to effectuate the provisions and intent of this Plan or the Confirmation Order.

J. Severability

If, prior to the Confirmation Date, any term or provision of this Plan is determined by the Bankruptcy Court to be invalid, void, or unenforceable, the Bankruptcy Court will have the power to alter and interpret such term or provision to make it valid or enforceable to the maximum extent practicable, consistent with the original purpose of the term or provision held to be invalid, void, or unenforceable, and such term or provision will then be applicable as altered or interpreted. Notwithstanding any such holding, alteration or interpretation, the remainder of the terms and provisions of this Plan will remain in full force and effect and will in no way be affected, impaired, or invalidated by such holding, alteration, or interpretation. The Confirmation Order will constitute a judicial determination and will provide that each term and provision of this Plan, as it may have been altered or interpreted in accordance with the foregoing, is valid and enforceable pursuant to its terms.

K. Service of Documents

Any notice, direction or other communication given regarding the matters contemplated by this Plan (each, a "<u>Notice</u>") must be in writing, sent by personal delivery, electronic mail, courier or facsimile and addressed as follows:

If to the Debtors:

Weatherford International plc 2000 St. James Place Houston, Texas 77056 Fax: (713) 836-5032

Attn: Christina M. Ibrahim

Email: christina.ibrahim@weatherford.com

with a copy to:

Latham & Watkins LLP 885 Third Avenue New York, NY 10022

Attn: George A. Davis and Keith A. Simon

Direct Dial: (212) 906-1200

Fax: (212) 751-4864

Email: george.davis@lw.com and keith.simon@lw.com

If to the Ad Hoc Noteholder Committee:

Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP One Bryant Park

Bank of America Tower

New York, NY 10036-6745

Attn: Michael S Stamer, Meredith Lahaie

Direct Dial: (212) 872-1000

Fax: (212) 872-1002

Email: mstamer@akingump.com and mlahaie@akingump.com

and -

2001 K Street N.W. Washington, DC 20006

Attn: Kate Doorley

Direct Dial: (202) 887-4592

Fax: (202) 887-4288

Email: kdoorley@akingump.com

If to the Committee:

Ropes and Gray LLP 1211 Avenue of the Americas New York, NY 10036-8704

Attn: Mark R. Somerstein; Matthew M. Roose

Direct Dial: (212) 596-9000

Fax: (212) 596-9090

Email: mark.somerstein@ropesgray.com and matthew.roose@ropesgray.com

A Notice is deemed to be given and received (a) if sent by personal delivery or courier, on the date of delivery if it is a Business Day and the delivery was made prior to 4:00 p.m. (local time in place of receipt) and otherwise on the next Business Day, or (b) if sent by facsimile, on the Business Day following the date of confirmation of transmission by the originating facsimile, or (c) if sent by electronic mail, when the sender receives an email from the recipient acknowledging receipt, provided that an automatic "read receipt" does not constitute acknowledgment of an email for purposes of this Section. Any party may change its address for service from time to time by providing a Notice in accordance with the foregoing. Any element of a party's address that is not specifically changed in a Notice will be assumed not to be changed. Sending a copy of a Notice to a party's legal counsel as contemplated above is for information purposes only and does not constitute delivery of the Notice to that party. The failure to send a copy of a Notice to legal counsel does not invalidate delivery of that Notice to a party.

L. Exemption from Transfer Taxes Pursuant to Section 1146(a) of the Bankruptcy Code

Pursuant to and to the fullest extent permitted by section 1146(a) of the Bankruptcy Code, any issuance, transfer, or exchange of a security, or the making or delivery of an instrument of transfer of property, pursuant to or in connection with this Plan or the Restructuring Documents will not be subject to any Stamp or Similar Tax or governmental assessment in the United States or by any other Governmental Unit, and the Confirmation Order will direct the appropriate federal, state or local (domestic or foreign) governmental officials or agents to forgo the collection of any such Stamp or Similar Tax or governmental assessment and to accept for filing and recordation instruments or other documents evidencing such action or event without the payment of any such Stamp or Similar Tax or governmental assessment. Such exemption specifically applies, without limitation, to (i) all actions, agreements and documents necessary to evidence and implement the provisions of, transactions contemplated by and the distributions to be made under this Plan or the Restructuring Documents, (ii) the issuance and distribution of the New Common Stock or Plan Securities and Documents, and (iii) the maintenance or creation of security interests or any Lien as contemplated by this Plan or the Restructuring Documents.

M. Governing Law

Except to the extent that the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules or other federal law is applicable, or to the extent that a Restructuring Document or an exhibit or schedule to this Plan provides otherwise, the rights and obligations arising under this Plan will be governed by, and

construed and enforced in accordance with, the laws of New York, without giving effect to the principles of conflicts of law of such jurisdiction.

N. Tax Reporting and Compliance

The Reorganized Debtors are hereby authorized, on behalf of the Debtors, to request an expedited determination under section 505(b) of the Bankruptcy Code of the tax liability of the Debtors for all taxable periods ending after the Petition Date through and including the Effective Date.

O. Schedules

All exhibits and schedules to this Plan, including the Exhibits and Plan Schedules, are incorporated herein and are a part of this Plan as if set forth in full herein.

P. No Strict Construction

This Plan is the product of extensive discussions and negotiations between and among, *inter alia*, the Debtors, the Consenting Noteholders, and their respective professionals. Each of the foregoing was represented by counsel of its choice who either participated in the formulation and documentation of, or was afforded the opportunity to review and provide comments on, this Plan, the Disclosure Statement, the Exhibits and the Plan Schedules, and the agreements and documents ancillary or related thereto. Accordingly, unless explicitly indicated otherwise, the general rule of contract construction known as "contra proferentem" or other rule of strict construction will not apply to the construction or interpretation of any provision of this Plan, the Disclosure Statement, the Exhibits or the Plan Schedules, or the documents ancillary and related thereto.

Q. Entire Agreement

Except as otherwise provided herein or therein, this Plan and the Restructuring Documents supersede all previous and contemporaneous negotiations, promises, covenants, agreements, understandings, and representations on such subjects, all of which have become merged and integrated into this Plan and the Restructuring Documents.

R. Closing of Chapter 11 Cases

The Reorganized Debtors will, promptly after the full administration of the Chapter 11 Cases, File with the Bankruptcy Court all documents required by Bankruptcy Rule 3022 and any applicable order of the Bankruptcy Court to close the Chapter 11 Cases.

S. 2002 Notice Parties

After the Effective Date, the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, are authorized to limit the list of Entities receiving documents pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 2002 to those Entities who have Filed a renewed request after the Confirmation Hearing to receive documents pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 2002.

Dated: September 9, 2019

Respectfully submitted,

WEATHERFORD INTERNATIONAL PLC AND ITS AFFILIATE DEBTORS

By: /s/ Christoph Bausch

Title: Executive Vice President and Chief

Financial Officer

EXHIBIT B

Notice of Confirmation

IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS HOUSTON DIVISION

	Y	
In re:	:	Chapter 11
WEATHERFORD INTERNATIONAL PLC, et al.,	: :	Case No. 19-33694 (DRJ)
Debtors. 1	:	(Jointly Administered)
	: X	

NOTICE OF ENTRY OF ORDER (I) APPROVING DEBTORS' DISCLOSURE STATEMENT AND (II) CONFIRMING SECOND AMENDED JOINT PREPACKAGED PLAN OF REORGANIZATION FOR WEATHERFORD INTERNATIONAL PLC AND ITS AFFILIATE DEBTORS UNDER CHAPTER 11 OF THE BANKRUPTCY CODE

TO CREDITORS, EQUITY INTEREST HOLDERS AND OTHER PARTIES IN INTEREST:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on [_____], 2019, the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of Texas (the "Bankruptcy Court") entered the Order (I) Approving Debtors' Disclosure Statement and (II) Confirming Second Amended Joint Prepackaged Plan of Reorganization for Weatherford International plc and its Affiliate Debtors Under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code (the "Confirmation Order"). Among other things, the Confirmation Order confirmed the Second Amended Joint Prepackaged Plan of Reorganization for Weatherford International plc and Its Affiliate Debtors Under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code dated [●], 2019 (as amended, modified, or supplemented from time to time, the "Plan")² as satisfying the requirements of the Bankruptcy Code, thereby authorizing Weatherford International plc and its debtor affiliates (collectively, the "Debtors") to implement the Plan on the Effective Date.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that copies of the Confirmation Order may be examined by any party in interest during normal business hours at the Clerk of the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of Texas, 515 Rusk Street, Houston, Texas 77002. You may also obtain copies of the Confirmation Order or of any pleadings filed in these Chapter 11 Cases for a fee via PACER at: http://www.ecf.txsb.uscourts.gov or free of charge on the case information website of the Debtors' Voting and Claims Agent, Prime Clerk LLC, at https://cases.primeclerk.com/weatherford/.

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¹ The Debtors in these cases, along with the last four digits of each Debtor's federal tax identification number, are: Weatherford International plc (6750); Weatherford International Ltd. (1344); and Weatherford International, LLC (5019). The location of the Debtors' U.S. corporate headquarters and the Debtors' service address is: 2000 St. James Place, Houston, TX 77056.

² Capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the Plan or the Confirmation Order, as applicable.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the Plan and its provisions are binding on the Debtors, the Reorganized Debtors, any Holder of a Claim or Equity Interest, and such Holder's respective successors and assigns, whether or not the Claim or Equity Interest of such Holder is Impaired under the Plan and whether or not such Holder voted to accept the Plan.

Dated: September [__], 2019

Houston, Texas

BY ORDER OF THE COURT

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Counsel for the Debtors and Debtors in Possession

EXHIBIT C

Notice of Effective Date

IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS HOUSTON DIVISION

	X	
In re:	:	Chapter 11
WEATHERFORD INTERNATIONAL PLC, et al.,	: :	Case No. 19-33694 (DRJ)
Debtors. 1	: :	(Jointly Administered)
	: x	

NOTICE OF: (A) EFFECTIVE DATE AND (B) DEADLINE FOR PROFESSIONALS TO FILE FINAL FEE APPLICATIONS

TO CREDITORS, EQUITY INTEREST HOLDERS, AND OTHER PARTIES IN INTEREST:

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PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that on [_____], 2019, the Effective Date under the Plan occurred.

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PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that all final requests for payment of Professional Fee Claims must be filed with the Bankruptcy Court and served on the Reorganized Debtors no later than [_____], 2019, which is the date that is 45 days after the Effective Date.

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Dated: [__], 2019

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